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CHAMBERLAIN IS HISSED

ENGLAND AND JAPAN INSIST RUSSIA MUST LEAVE MANCHURIA

POWERS WILL NOT ACT.

Intervention in the Balkans Can not Take Place Until Conference is Held.

LONDON, Sept. 14.—Beyond making urgent representations to Bulgaria, the Associated Press learns from a well-informed diplomatic source that the Powers will take no action to avert war in the Balkans until the conference between the Czar and Emperor Francis Joseph at Vienna during the latter part of the month. The result of this decision will continue to leave Turkey a free hand in the ruthless suppression of the insurrection unless Bulgaria, unmindful of the warning of the Powers that she will reap nothing from intervention, should act, an eventuality which the diplomats fear cannot be postponed. Interest is taken here in the suggestion of the Novoe Vremaye, of St. Petersburg, as a solution of the difficulty that officers of the foreign powers be attached to all Turkish repressive expeditions with authority to prevent unnecessary cruelty. A Turkish official says that the appointment of Nazim Pasha as governor of Beirut is believed to show the Porte's appreciation of the necessity for preserving order.

SAY THEIR ARREST WAS NOT WARRANTED.

Strike Leaders Assert They Will Proceed Against Army Generals in Courts.

CRIPPLE CREEK, Colo., Sept. 14.—Former Attorney General Eugene Engley appeared before Judge W. H. Seeds, in the District Court today and petitioned for writs of habeas corpus for Charles Campbell, Charles P. McKinney, S. Parker and J. L. Lafferty, strike leaders, who were arrested by the military authorities last week and have been held as prisoners in the guard house, though no charges have been made against them. Although martial law has not been declared and under the State laws, cannot be invoked, the military officers have taken absolute control of the district and have entirely ignored the civil authorities. Brigadier General John Chase notified Mr. Engley that no civil process for the prisoners whom he represents will be recognized by the military. Furthermore, Adjutant General Bell has intimated that all leaders of the Western Federation of Miners in the district will be arrested and held as prisoners until the strike is broken.

"I shall cause the arrest of General Bell, General Chase and certain members of the Mine Owners' Association," said Mr. Engley today, "and shall prosecute them on a charge of criminal conspiracy. I shall also bring civil suit against them for damages for false imprisonment."

C. G. Kennison, president of Miners' Union No. 40, who left town after furnishing bonds for $500 on charges of carrying concealed weapons and assaulting a non-union miner and was reported to have fled, returned this morning from Colorado Springs. He said his trip was made for business reasons.

Judge Seeds granted the writs of habeas corpus as prayed for. The writs are returnable Friday morning. Sheriff Robertson's demand for the four prisoners was formally refused by General Chase.

CABINET CRISIS IS AT HAND.

British Parliament is in Throes of Great Excitement.

Rumors of Resignation of Chancellor Ritchie Well Founded.

LONDON, September 14.—The Associated press understands that the rumors of the approaching resignation of Chancellor of the Exchequer Ritchie, are well founded. He will attend several Cabinet meetings called for today with the determination of resigning. Other minor resignations are likely to occur, but Colonial Secretary Chamberlain and Premier Balfour are reported to be standing together and intend keeping the Cabinet by filling the vacancies.

From all parts of the country and the Continent, British Cabinet members came to London today to attend the Cabinet meeting, which was regarded as marking the most important phase in the recent political history in the United Kingdom. The Times voiced public sentiment in saying it was a "great occasion" more important even than the historic meeting when Home Rule was uppermost, for the main issue today is the "unity of the Empire."

No since the fateful day when the Cabinet framed an answer to President Kruger's ultimatum had such crowds gathered around Downing street. From early morning loiterers assembled there in the hope of catching a glimpse of the political leaders. However, when it was announced that the Cabinet would not meet until 3 o'clock, the spectators dwindled away.

Mr. Balfour, who arrived in London from Scotland yesterday went to Downing street early. There, a number of treasury officials were closeted all the morning with Mr. Balfour's secretaries, going over the statistics on which the Cabinet is supposed to base its decision for or against free trade. Mr. Chamberlain, who was the central figure in today's proceedings, left Birmingham, accompanied by his wife.

A large crowd bade them farewell at the railroad station. On their arrival here, Mrs. Chamberlain went to their London home and Mr. Chamberlain proceeded to the Colonial Office.

Another Cabinet meeting will be held tomorrow. It may safely be assumed that no definite decision regarding the fiscal policy was reached today.

Upon the arrival of Mr. Chamberlain at Downing street he was loudly hooted. A crowd of laborers employed near by joined in this unusual demonstration against the Colonial Secretary. Mr. Chamberlain, who was accompanied by Gerald Balfour, president of the Board of Trade, showed the customary indifference to this reception. The police eventually were obliged to form double lines from Mr. Balfour's house to the Foreign Office, so as to enable the Cabinet Ministers to enter the latter place.

LANSDOWNE WILL HOLD ON.

The Cabinet meeting ended at 5:50 p. m. It transpired that the predicted division in the Cabinet over Mr. Chamberlain's fiscal proposals actually occurred and that a partial re-organization of the Ministry is probable. Mr. Ritchie expressed his unalterable decision to any change in the financial system and nothing is believed to have occurred to modify the opinion held this morning that he will resign the Chancellorship of the Exchequer.

A RUG WHICH HAS LONG NEEDED DUSTING.

—Chicago Tribune.

MEMORIAL SHAFT TO M'KINLEY.

Toledo Perpetuates in Marble Name of the Martyr.

The Shaft Dedicated in Presence of Myriad of People.

TOLEDO, Ohio, September 14.—Toledo is en fete today over the unveiling of the McKinley statue, the first memorial to the late President erected in Ohio.

After a Naval parade on the river, including the United States gunboat Myth and the training ships Yantic and Hawk and a procession led by a battalion of United States Infantry, the statue which stands fronting the courthouse was unveiled by Miss Bonner.

Colonel J. C. Bonner, president of the Memorial Association, in a brief address, presented the monument to the county and Henry Conrad, president of the Board of County Commissioners, accepted the trust on the part of the county.

Senator M. A. Hanna was then introduced as honorary president of the day and made a brief extemporaneous address.

A dedicatory poem by Theodore McManumus was read by the author and the orator of the day, Senator Fairbanks, was introduced. Senator Fairbanks said:

ORATION.

"The place of William McKinley in history is secure. We are not too near the events of which he was a part correctly to measure his proportions, nor do we look with too partial eyes upon what he did. We know the great share he bore in the stirring events throughout which he passed and we have faith to believe that the judgment of his contemporaries will be formed by history, when, with impartial hand, she shall record the deeds of men.

FUTURE AS DEBTOR.

"Your honor yourselves, in honoring

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UNCERTAINTY AS TO STRIKE.

NO WORD HEARD TODAY AS REGARDS CONDITION AT NORINGER.

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 14.—No word has yet been received from the striking miners at Novinger, and it is not known whether the miners there now on strike have returned to work or whether they have agreed to do so. The delegates here say there is no doubt that the Novinger miners will return to work and that will settle the trouble there. There are other differences yet to be settled by the miners' delegates and by the operators, who are now trying to reach an agreement. The scale committee of the operators held a meeting this morning and the miners' delegates' committee will meet this afternoon to try and square their differences.

COLORED MEN IN DANGER.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 14.—All but one of the missing men supposed to have been buried under the debris of the cave-in at the Greenfield tunnel, on the Wabash, have been accounted for. Most of the foreign laborers have refused to return to work, fearing another fatality, but their places have been filled by colored men.

DRAKE BROTHERS LOST IN SNOW

TAKE PLACE OF MEN WHO WERE INJURED IN GREENFIELD TUNNEL.

HELENA, Mont., September 14.—No trace has been found of the three Drake brothers of St. Louis who are believed to be lost in the Lolo mountains where they went six weeks ago to hunt. The snow is falling rapidly in the mountains and it is feared if the men are lost they will never get out. They had provisions for only two weeks.

MYSTERY VEILS HER ABSENCE.

San Jose Society Maiden Disappears From Her Home.

Miss Bertha Page Is Away all Night and Cannot Be Found.

SAN JOSE, September 14.—Alarm is felt over the mysterious disappearance of Miss Bertha Page, prominent in society and musical circles, who left her home on a bicycle at 6 o'clock last evening and has not since been seen or heard of. She lately spent six weeks at Lake Tahoe, where she was treated for heart trouble. On her return she stopped over at Sacramento for a week and reached home last Wednesday in a depressed condition of mind. She was acquainted with Miss Isabella Clark and the news of the suicide of her friend deeply affected her. Her mother, Mrs. Catherine Page, is a well-to-do widow, with a large family and she is prostrated over the disappearance of her daughter. The police are at work on the theory that the girl, becoming temporarily deranged, has committed suicide.

"Can't mamma curl my hair any more?" asked small Gerald of the barber, who was cutting it.

"Not for a long time," was the reply.

"Well, I'm glad of it," said Gerald. "I'd rather be baldheaded than have curls."

RUSSIA MUST NOT TARRY.

England and Japan Separately Protest Against the Bear Remaining in Manchuria.

LONDON, Sept. 14.—The Associated Press is informed that Great Britain and Japan have exchanged views on the latest demands made by Russia on China and that they decided to protest separately to the Peking Government against their acceptance. In case this should prove fruitless and Russia continues her occupation of Manchuria, Japan proposes to break off the negotiations with Russia for a definition of their respective rights in Manchuria and Corea and demand of the Government that it order the evacuation of Chinese territory.

"We cannot permit the postponement of the evacuation," said the Japanese authority, "for Russia would utilize the additional time to strengthen her fleet and army in the Far East. Already her naval tonnage there is equal to ours. Public sentiment in Japan is deeply stirred by Russia's failure to carry out her promises to evacuate Manchuria and demands the withdrawal of her troops on the date fixed a year ago."

HURRICANE LEAVES DEATH IN ITS TRACK.

Property Loss at Tampa is Estimated to be Over a Million Dollars.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., September 14.—No wires are working south of Jacksonville this morning and details of the hurricane which swept across the southern part of the State, Saturday, are incomplete. So far as known, seven people met death, the bodies of five being washed up near Miami, on the east coast and two near Boynton, on the west side of the State. Passengers arriving today on belated trains report that on the east coast many vessels have been wrecked. Above Miami, it is reported, seven or eight vessels are ashore. The property loss in the city of Tampa is about $1,000,000. West Tampa was flooded. No losses of life are reported in Tampa, although several persons were hurt by falling trees.

Much injury was done to the orange groves and gardens, and it is feared that the beautiful winter homes of Northern people are damaged.

The disturbance is sweeping across Alabama and Louisiana today. All wires south of Montgomery are down in the neighborhood of Flomaton, Alabama, and Birmington, Montgomery, Mobile and New Orleans report high winds. There is no evidence of the storm at Charleston, S. C., although precautionary signals have been displayed there for two days.

TAMPA IS HEARD FROM.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., September 14.—Telegraphic communication with Tampa was restored late this afternoon. One life, that of Louis B. Boron, was lost there. The property damage is heavy. Apprehension is felt for two steamers which left Sunday afternoon for New Orleans and Mobile.

PRESIDENT COULD NOT ATTEND.

MISUNDERSTANDING AS TO SEAWANHAKA CLUB DINNER.

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., September 14.—By authority of the President, the statement was made that the complication which arose over the Seawanhaka Corinthian Yacht Club dinner had developed from a misunderstanding. The President explained to Colgate Hoyt that he could not attend a large formal dinner, as by so doing, he would be unjust to many friends whose organizations and whose invitations to similar functions he had been forced to decline.

The President further wishes it to be known that he did not, in the remotest way, object to the presence of Sir Thomas Lipton at the dinner. He wrote a personal letter today to Mr. Hoyt, stating his position. In that letter he informed Mr. Hoyt that he had no objection to the attendance of Sir Thomas Lipton at the dinner, but that as a member of the club he would be glad to see him there if Sir Thomas could make it convenient.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

H. F. James of Berkeley is a guest at the Abbott House, Salinas City.

Rev. J. E. Moore has gone to Salinas City, where he occupies the pulpit in the M. E. Church South.

Mrs. E. N. Moor visited Mrs. W. H. Moor at Elmhurst Sunday.

Mrs. O. P. Shroat of Woodland visited in Berkeley recently.

Miss Lilian Westley of Vallejo is visiting in Oakland.

Miss Eleanor Phelps, daughter of Commander Phelps, and Miss Bernice Kelley visited friends in Mare Island last week.

Marcia S. Audley of Berkeley is a guest at the Angelus Hotel Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Breining of East Oakland are in Los Angeles, guests at the Nadeau Hotel.

W. Parrott is a guest at the Natick House, Los Angeles.

R. C. Maurice is a guest at the Natick House, Los Angeles.

Harry Miller is spending his vacation with relatives in Ventura.

BONAPARTE WILL INVESTIGATE.

SCOPE OF AUTHORITY TO LOOK INTO AFFAIRS, INDIAN TERRITORY.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—It was announced at the Interior Department today that Charles Joseph Bonaparte had accepted the invitation of Secretary Hitchcock to take charge of the investigation of certain Indian Territory affairs and officials under the jurisdiction of the Department of the Interior.

The scope of the investigation, it is said, will be sufficiently comprehensive to embrace all statements within the knowledge of the Interior Department, including all that have appeared in the public press, and all other matters that may at any time come to the notice of the investigating officials that reflect on the character, conducts or acts of the Dawes Commission or any member thereof and the inspector for the Indian Territory.

While these are primarily the objects of the investigation, it is understood that it will be extended to such other persons and things in the Indian Territory over which the Interior Department has supervision, as may be deemed by Mr. Bonaparte to be for the welfare of the service or as may be referred to him by the Secretary of the Interior.

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Among the newest bonbon boxes exhibited are the golf-bag candy boxes. These are small plaid golf bags and are made more real looking by simulated golf sticks which decorate the cover. When fitted with bonbons they are a charming gift to the golf girl.

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The restoration of old photographs and the copying of them employs some women who are experts with the camera. Most of these have studios. Their pay is usually good, because the family affection which prompts people to have the pictures of the dead restored usually makes them willing to requite the service liberally.

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Outing flannels in a great variety of pretty patterns are flooding the shops and it is safe to say that never before was this useful material shown in more artistic colorings or lovelier designs.

HARSH WORDS FOR STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

County Assessor Files a Denunciation of Raise of Valuation With Supervisors.

The following communication was read before the Board of Supervisors this morning from Assessor Dalton and was referred to the Committee of the Whole:

"To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county—Gentlemen: You are doubtless aware that the State Board of Equalization has arbitrarily raised the assessment of Alameda county twenty (20) per cent. This was done in the face of the fact that your County Assessor had raised the total assessment of the county nearly sixteen millions of dollars over the assessment of last year. The arbitrary action of the State Board of Equalization has raised the assessment of the county another twenty-one millions for the purpose of State taxation. The situation is simply this—that Alameda county will have to pay taxes on a 40 per cent higher valuation than one year ago. This is an imposition of the rankest kind, and I would like to confer with your honorable board as to the best means to be employed to resist such an injustice.

SAYS IT WAS FAIR.

"The assessment of Alameda county, as made by your County Assessor, is absolutely fair and just, and I would call the attention of your honorable board to the fact that when the assessment roll is turned over to you it bears an oath by the Assessor that the property in the county is assessed at what is considered the actual cash value on the first Monday in March last: To add a 20 per cent raise to these values is unjust and imposes a burden of taxation that I do not believe is warranted in law, as it certainly is not in equity. In order to show the gross inequalities that exist in the so-called equalization by the State Board of Equalization, I would direct the attention of your honorable board to a few facts and comparisons that show how flagrantly the interests of the common people have been subordinated to the demands of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company and the Central Pacific Railroad Company.

SLAMS EQUALIZERS.

"I find, referring to the report of the State Board of Equalization for the year 1882 twenty years ago, that in that year, the assessed value of the Southern Pacific Railroad per mile was $16,500. At that time the total assessed value of the State of California was $598,750,013. The rails and rolling stock of every description and roadbed used by the railroad company twenty years ago did not begin to be as valuable as it is now, and the territory through which it traversed was but sparsely populated compared with what it is at this time. It might naturally be supposed that the tremendous development of the State and the large amount of money spent in permanent betterments would certainly have increased the value of the railroads in equal proportions to the rest of the property of the State. Instead we find a most miserable conditions of affairs. The entire assessment of the State this year, as returned by the County Assessors and raised by the State Board of Equalization, is $1,512,917,273, or about one hundred and fifty (150) per cent greater than it was twenty years ago.

SHOULD BE IN PROPORTION.

"If values were equalized it would seem that the value of the property of the Southern Pacific should have likewise increased. But ridiculous as it may seem, the Southern Pacific Railroad is assessed this year at $15,000 per mile, or nearly ten (10) per cent less than twenty years ago. That this condition of affairs is not correct is best proved by the fact that the Southern Pacific Railroad in California is bonded for $55,100,500 and is only assessed for $32,258,700. Yet with the development during the last twenty years to the extent of $1,000,000,000 in assessable property, the Southern Pacific is paying less taxes on each mile of road than twenty years ago.

LESS THAN TWENTY YEARS AGO.

"The case of the Central Pacific Railroad shows equal discrimination. Its total assessment by the State Board of Equalization for this year is $15,000,000 while the bonded indebtedness on its mileage in this State is $59,579,000. In 1881 the Central Pacific Railroad was assessed at $25,000 per mile. This year it is assessed by the State Board of Equalization at $20,807 per mile. Thus while the State has increased one hundred and fifty (150) per cent in assessable value during the last twenty years every mile of the Central Pacific has decreased during the same period nearly twenty per cent. The Assessor of San Francisco County assesses the United Railroads Company for its one hundred and forty-five (145) miles of street railroads in San Francisco at $133,075 per mile, making an assessment of $20,007,000. The State Board of Equalization assesses seven hundred and forty-six (746) miles of Central Pacific Railroad Company's road at $15,000,000 or $20,087 per mile, as against $133,075 per mile of the street railroads of San Francisco. Is not the Central Pacific's system in this State worth more than the Street Railroads of San Francisco? The Central Pacific is bonded for $59,579,000 and only assessed at $15,000,000. I cite these facts to show the pronounced inequality in the assessments as made by the State Board of Equalization, and I believe that through proper legal proceedings Alameda County can free herself from this most unjust and unequal burden which the State Board of Equalization would impose.

FAVORABLE TO RAILROAD.

"I cannot conceive of a State assessment more favorable to these two great corporations than that made by the State Board of Equalization. Had the matter been left directly to the tax agent of these corporations, I do not believe he would have perpetrated such an injustice. If the arbitrary raise of twenty (20) per cent on our figures for Alameda County be permitted to stand it simply means that the small tax payers will be forced to pay a large share of the taxes that should be paid by the large corporations and which would be paid by them if values were equalized as contemplated by the law. Your Honorable Board is well advised regarding values in this county. You are aware that the assessment roll this year shows an increase of $15,981,661 over last year's figures. This bears a just proportion to the increase of the wealth of the county but to impose an additional twenty per cent is without reason, is unfair, is unjust and is not equalization, is indicative of gross discrimination and is opposed to every principal that we should expect of a Board of Equalization.

WOULD GO TO LAW.

"I would respectfully suggest that the District Attorney be instructed to examine into this matter at once, and to report to your Honorable Board as to the proper legal steps to be pursued to protect the taxpayers of this county in the premises. I will say in conclusion in the Assessor's office is all the necessary data to prove that the assessment as made by me is as high as justice will permit, besides all the information in detail, which has been referred to generally in this communication, and of the District Attorney.

"Most respectfully,
"HENRY P. DALTON."

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STOCK MARKET

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 14.—The following quotations up to noon to-day are given by Bolton, de Ruyter & Co. of 490 California street:

	Bid.	Asked.
MISCELLANEOUS BONDS.		
Cal Cen G & Elec Co 5%	103	.....
C C Wat Co, 5%	.....	105½
Haw Com & Sug, 5%	99	.....
Met St Ry 1 con mtg 5%	115¼	.....
Northern Ry of Cal, 5%	.....	119½
North Shore RR, 5%	.....	100½
S F & S J Val, 5%	120	121
Sierra Ry of Cal, 6%	111½	.....
S V Wat, 6%	.....	106¼
S V Wat, 2nd mtg, 4%	98¾	100
Pac Elec Ry, 5%	110	111
WATER STOCKS.		
Spring Valley	84¾	85
STREET RAILROAD STOCKS.		
Presidio	39	41½
BANK STOCKS.		
Bank of Cal	520	.....
Mer Trust	220	.....
SAVINGS BANK STOCKS.		
S F Sav Union	380	700
Sav and Loan Soc	95	.....
POWDER STOCKS.		
Giant	62	.....
Vigorit	4¾	5¼
SUGAR STOCKS.		
Haw Com & Sug Co	44¼	44¾
Honokaa Sug Co	13	13½
Hutchinson Sug Plant Co	13¾	.....
Makawell Sug Co	22½	.....
Onomea Sug Co	30	.....
Paauhau S P Co	16	16½
GAS AND ELECTRIC STOCKS.		
Cen Light & Pow Co	4½	5
Equit Gas Light Co	.....	5½
Mut Elec Light Co	13	14
Pac Gas Imp Co	54	55
S F Gas & Elec Co	69	69¾
Gas Cert's	.....	69½
MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.		
Alaska P Assn	154	155
Cal Fruit Can Assn	92½	.....
Cal Wine Assn	.....	97½

SALES.

3000 Haw Com 99
30,000 Pac Elec Ry, 5% 110
5000 North Pac Coast 5% 107½
3000 S V Wat, 2nd 100
1000 S F & S J, 5% 120¼
50 S V Water 85
10 Hutchinson 13½
20 Alaska Packers 154
10 Honokaa Sugar 13¾

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LARGE AUDIENCES AT IDORA PARK.

A large and appreciative audience witnessed the new bill at Idora Park Theatre last night and from the manner in which it was received it is safe to say that there will be a full house every night this week. Manager Mackinnon is indeed fortunate in securing such excellent talent.

Among the performers special mention is due to Lorraine and Howell and their trained dogs, La Petite Addie, who captivated everyone with her charming voice and manner; the great De Armo, whose thrilling performance in mid-air keeps his audience speechless Harry Howard, the clever monologue comedian; the Borroughs' comedy sketch team; Harry Slyvester, the popular baritone in illustrated songs, etc.

The moving pictures at the conclusion of the bill are all new, and include some of the most interesting views in the world.

All the outdoor attractions, including the scenic railway, coal mine, laughing gallery, performing seals and sea lions, infant incubators, etc. are well patronized and thoroughly enjoyed.

On every afternoon except Monday there is a matinee at Idora Park Theatre and every Friday night is amateur night.

The admission to the theatre is 10 and 20 cents.

Idora Park is located on Telegraph avenue and Fifty-sixth street. Take Telegraph avenue car.

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BONAPARTE GOES AMONG INDIANS.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—Charles A. Bonaparte has been selected by Secretary Hitchcock to take charge of the affairs and officials in Indian Territory that come under the jurisdiction of the Agricultural Department.

MEMORIAL SHAFT FOR M'KINLEY

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him. You make the future your debtor by erecting this statue in commemoration of his life and services, for, like his immortal prototype, Abraham Lincoln, he belongs to the ages. Hither the lovers of American institutions will come in the unnumbered years before us and derive new inspiration from them. The monuments will rise in other nations, to which other people not of our race will pay homage.

The people of Cuba, whose liberty was secured by his genius and statesmanship, will erect monuments in his honor. So, too, the people of Porto Rico and the far-off Philippines will raise enduring monuments to perpetuate the memory of the President who carried to them the blessings of republican government.

NAME A BENEFICIENT INFLUENCE.

"It seems but yesterday that William McKinley stood among us, at the very zenith of his power. He possessed, in full degree, the affections of his countrymen and his name was a beneficient influence throughout the world. Without warning, the cruel bolt fell. We stood speechless in the midst of uncommon sorrow. Our great and beloved leader by some mysterious Providence, fell in the plenitude of his strength. Upon the date of his sepulture, rulers and people in many foreign lands united in impressive memorials and the flags of all nations were in mourning.

PEOPLE UNCOVERED IN THE STREETS.

"Throughout the big republic, busy trade stood still, the telegraph was quiet and by some impulse steamships and railroad trains stopped and the people uncovered in the streets or knelt in the sanctuaries. Who knows but that the Divine Master, through this unspeakable tragedy, sought to imprint for ever upon the human heart how splendidly the just and brave can live and how beautifully they can die. Against the dark background of two years ago stand in sharper outline than were otherwise possible, the high and noble achievements and the majestic personality of one of the greatest of Americans."

After the singing of "America" by the audience, Rev. M. A. Hyde pronounced the benediction which closed the services.

DIED

BLOOD—In this city, September 12, 1903, Warren H., beloved husband of Lottie L. Blood, a native of California, aged 39 years.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services tomorrow (Tuesday), September 15, 1903, at 2:30 o'clock, at Alcatraz Hall, Seventh and Peralta streets, Oakland, under the direction of Alcatraz Lodge, No. 224, F. and A. M. Strictly private funeral services at late residence, 1466 Eighth street.

CASSIDY—Entered into rest September 14, 1903, Frank A., beloved son of William J. and Sarah J. Cassidy, and brother of Charles E. Cassidy, a native of Albany, New York, aged 29 years, 8 months and 19 days.

SHEENEY—In Watsonville, September 14, 1903, Mary Sheeney, beloved wife of the late Timothy Sheeney, sister of Patrick Cunningham, a native of Carrick Macross Parish, County Monahan, Ireland.

NETHERCOTT—In this city, September 14, 1903, Helen, beloved wife of William Nethercott of 801 Pine street, and mother of Mrs. William Starr and J. Nethercott, a native of Scotland, aged 52 years.

BRITTON—At the County Infirmary, September 14, 1903, Irwin Britton.

Too Late For Classification

A FAMILY of 3 ladies, 1 gentleman and 1 child desires board, with 3 rooms, 2 connected, within 15 to 30 days; nice quarters in choice locality; east of Broadway and north of 12th st, preferred. Please address Thompson, 466 Vernon st., city. t

FOR SALE—At a bargain, invalid chair, adjustable steel frame. Phone James 1891. Oakland Commission Co., 361 12th st. x

YOUNG girl would like to assist with general housework in small Catholic family; Fruitvale preferred. Address S. Hansen, Fruitvale P. O. h

FOR RENT—Three nice sunny furnished rooms for gentlemen in private family; breakfast if required; references. 205 12th st., corner Jackson. q

FINE dress suit, imported from London. 526 Telegraph ave., flat No. 1. x

MAKERS on sheepskin gloves. Apply at 1710 7th st. e

BEAUTIFUL pet pennie, saddle, bridle; for children. Call 1261 Jefferson st. x

PLEASANT sunny suite, near City Hall; gas for cooking. 514 15th st. n

FOR SALE—Parties wishing to clear rent of house, 2 rooms for their own use and $15 cash can do so by buying furniture for $300; rooms all rented; snap, for 1 week; owner going to Los Angeles on account of health. Inquire grocery store, 16th and Market sts.; house near by. w

ENVELOPES addressed, $1.00 per M.; called for and delivered. Phone Frankie 362. P. O. Box 290. c

22-room lodging house, 2 blocks from Broadway station; new furniture; rent $40; clearing $75; price, $850. H. A. Parkhurst, 872 Broadway.

THE LATEST NEWS.

CUT HIS THROAT IN STORE.

Tried to End Career in Second Hand Store.

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Sept. 14.—At noon today a man over forty years of age, of short stature and poorly dressed walked into a second-hand store, purchased a razor and cut his throat. He is said to be a stone mason named Dougherty. Some hopes are entertained for his recovery.

SHOT ON RUN IN THE DARK

Officers Wing House-Breakers in 'Frisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, September 14.—Matthew Butler and John Foran held up a citizen, this morning, broke into a saloon and, while the police were chasing them, found time to give the officers the slip and attempt to break into another saloon on Third street.

Policemen Clay, Moran and Tillman came upon the two men while they were attempting to commit their second burglary. In the chase that followed, Butler was shot by Policeman Moran and he now lies on a cot at the Central Emergency Hospital with an ugly bullet wound in his leg.

Foran eluded the policemen in the chase, but he was taken into custody later at his home on Tehama street. He is now being held in the tanks at the Hall of Justice.

The police are convinced that Butler and Foran are old-time criminals and while they deny that they were ever arrested before, Detective-Sergeant Bainbridge of the Identification Bureau, is looking up the criminal records and it is believed that developments will show that both have prison records either in California or in some Eastern city.

SAD CONDUCT OF AN ERRING GIRL.

Mrs. Covalt of Seventeenth street, is the mother of a daughter aged 16 years, whom she named Pearl when she was a little bit of a thing, believing she would grow up to be to the family what her named indicated. But Pearl has disappointed her mother. She grew to be wayward and unmanageable and Saturday Mrs. Covalt appealed to the police to hunt her up and put her where she would have to behave herself. An officer was detailed to find her, which he succeeded in doing, but drunk and she is now in the City Prison en route to some reformatory institution. Pearl is defiant as well as reckless, and gives no evidence of sorrow for the life she has been leading in the past or for the trouble she has brought to her mother.

VALUABLE CARGO OF FOOD PRODUCTS.

SAN DIEGO, September 14.—The British ship Milverton cleared for the United Kingdom with $81,000 worth of wheat and barley.

COMPANY EXONERATED.

Saturday evening the coroner's jury in the inquest on the body of Francis Nyhen returned a verdict of accidental death, exonerating the railway company from blame. Nyhen was injured at Dwight Way on the evening of the 7th inst. by the Berkeley local and died at Fabiola Hospital the following morninig from the effects of his injuries. The body was shipped to Laytonville, Cal., for interment.

SOLD HIS WIFE AND HIS FURNITURE.

The Purchaser a San Leandro Man Who Put Up $200 Cash for the Bargain.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 14.—When the case of Joseph Ricardo, charged with grand larceny, is called in Judge Cabaniss' court next Wednesday morning Emil Redon, the complaining witness, will not appear against the defendant. Emil Redon is a son of Portugal, and visited the Hall of Justice last Saturday afternoon and swore to a complaint against his countryman and former boarder, Joseph Ricardo, alleging that he moved his (Redon's) household effects and wife over to San Leandro while he was at the mines in Shasta county.

All was serene as a summer day in the Redon household at 19½ Church avenue three months ago when the lord and master left the premises to the care of his wife and Ricardo, his boarder. He left his wife $20. Redon came back on September 9 and found that Ricardo had packed his wife and his furniture over to San Leandro.

Detective Taylor found the pair living together as man and wife, and placed Ricardo under arrest. The injured husband called at the Hall of Justice yesterday morning and asked to see the prisoner. His request was granted, and when the interview was over Redon rushed to Captain Martin's office and said: "It's all right, Captain. I have seen Ricardo and we have it all settled. I don't want to keep him in jail. He pays me $100 for the furniture and $100 for my wife and I give him a bill of sale for my furniture and my wife. The bargain is a good one for me. I get the $200 for the furniture and the wife and it costs me only $25 for a divorce. A new wife costs me nothing." Captain Martin cut short Redon's tale of his bargain with Ricardo and informed him that he could not "clinch" the deal unless he committed a felony.

Redon's face fell. He declared that the woman was not worth $100, and, further, he could not raise that amount on his furniture. Redon did not appear in the Police Court this morning when the case came up, ad Ricardo's attorney said that the complaining witness did not want to prosecute. The case went over until Wednesday.

NUPTIALS AT HEARST HACIENDA.

Miss Anne Apperson to Become Bride of Dr. M. Flint.

Probably the most beautiful and elaborate wedding ever celebrated in California will be that of Miss Anne Apperson and Dr. Joseph Marshall Flint, which will be celebrated at noon tomorrow, at the magnificent country place of Mrs. Hearst, the bride's aunt, near Pleasanton.

The house and the rare and costly furnishings are in themselves marvels of beauty, and no care nor expense has been spared to add to the effect.

For a week past the carpenters have been busy constructing the altar and chancel in the music room, where the ceremony is to take place, nad erecting the wonderful pale blue canopy in the patio beneath which the breakfast is to be served.

For three days the decorators have been gathering flowers and working in the various rooms, which will be transformed under the skillful hands of the Misses Worn into floral bowers, the like of which have not been seen here before.

LOST FROM S. P. CARS IN SALINAS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sep. 14.— Just as soon as the necessary legal formalities can be complied with, C. B. Rutherford, who is held at the City Prison, and C. V. Graves, who is under police surveillance at the City and County Hospital, and who are both charged with complicity in the wholesale robberies of Southern Pacific freight cars in the vicinity of Salinas, will be turned over to the authorities of Monterey county for trial.

It was in Monterey county, according to the confession made by W. H. Dougherty to the Southern Pacific detectives that most of the crimes were committed, and while the local police have assisted the railroad officers with ferreting out the crime, and bringing the accusation home their connections with the big case cepses when the accused men are placed behind prison bars. It is believed that there is a great ring engaged in the wholesale thievery that has been going on for the past several months, and that many of the men implicated are residents, and maintain headquarters in this city, but the fact remains that another county holds the scene of the daring crimes, and it is there that those accused most face juries.

ALAMEDA COUNTY GETS GOLD MEDALS.

At the State Fair recently held in Sacramento, Alameda county carried off a number of the gold medals. The "Deasy" heater was awarded the gold medal and the great "Deasy" Combination Boiler and Water Heater, displayed for the first time, received honorable mention. The "Deasy" heater is a California invention and is the only heater manufactured on this coast. The "Deasy" Combination Boiler and Water Heater attracted considerable attention and it is said that there is nothing known that will compare with it. The Lear Olive Oil was awarded a gold medal, as was also the Dos Mesas Wines of Livermore.

THIEVES IN HALL OF JUSTICE.

Loot the Engine-Room and Turn Place Topsy-Turvey.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 14.—Under the very nose of the police daring thieves broke into the engineer's room in the basement of the Hall of Justice last night and carted off valuable tools and other articles usually found in an engine room.

The engine room is situated in the basement, directly under the Central Police Station. To reach it the thieves had to pass through the Central Police Station or go through the main entrance of the Hall of Justice, passing the office of the Chief of Police, and and thence down stairs to the basement.

When Engineer Young reported for duty this morning he found the door of the engine room unlocked. He thought this rather strange, as he always keeps the door securely locked, but his surprise knew no bounds when he surveyed the engine room topsey turvey in appearance. In collecting their plunder the thieves spilled a barrel of ashes all over the floor, and tracked it from one side of the place to the other. The elevator was in its proper place, but the thieves had evidently tampered with it in some way, for it took Engineer Young fully half an hour to adjust the lever so that the operator could get the elevator in motion. Engineer Young reported the matter to the police.

The burglary is one of the most daring pieces of thievery that has come to the notice of the police in some time. The lock on the door to the engine room was evidently opened by a skeleton key, as the key to the room was found hanging in its customary place this morning.

YOUNG GIRL TURNED ADRIFT.

Saturday night, shortly after the last narrow gauge train had left for San Francisco, a girl about 14 years old, was found sitting on one of the seats outside and as she would not give her name or tell why she was there alone an officer conducted her to the police station. Upon being questioned here she stated that her name was Rose Kitler, that she had been living at Pinole with a family named Berry, and had staid out later than she had intended and that when she returned home, she was told she would have to find another place to live. She then went to San Francisco to stay with her grandmother, but found there was no place for her for lack of room, so she came to Oakland with the intention of hunting up an aunt named King, but that as she did not have the aunt's address she had been unable to find her. Several persons have interested themselves in the girl, and Chief Hodgkins says there will be no trouble at all in finding her a home in a good family. She insists that she has done no wrong but simply had no place to go or no one to care for her.

ISIDOR SCHWARTZ DIES IN FRISCO.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 14.—Isidor Schwartz, an old resident of San Francisco, died this morning at 6 o'clock from pneumonia at his home, No. 2331 Clay street. He was a member of the firm of Schwartz Bros., coffee importers, in this city and Schwartz & Co., Guatemala, Central America. The deceased was also a member of the Merchants' Exchange. The dead merchant was very wealthy, having obtained his riches from the raising of coffee in Guatemala. He leaves a wife and two daughters, Florence and Pearl. Arrangements for the funrel have not yet been made.

BEIRUT, Syria, September 14.—It is reported that Kiazim Bey, Governor of Palestine, will succeed Reshid Pasha as Vali of Beirut, (relieving Nazim Pasha, Vali of Syria, who is now acting Vali of Beirut.)

Kiazim Bey has evinced great administrative ability and has maintained excellent order in Palestine.

ERWIN IS WAITING WARRANT.

BONDS ARE READY BUT THE INDICTMENT FAILS TO ARRIVE.

SAN FRANCISCO Sept. 14.—The copy of the indictment brought against James W. Erwin, the postal inspector, had not reached the office of District Attorney Woodworth up to noon today and as a result no action against Mr. Erwin was taken by the authorities.

The accused man is ready with his bondsmen and his attorney to take any action which may be necessitated by the language of the indictment.

STOPPED BY GUN SHOT.

BURGLAR FOILED IN SAN JOSE BY GOOD AIM OF A NEIGHBOR.

SAN JOSE, Cal. Sept. 14.—While attempting to break into the residence of Mrs. E. T. Woods, on Stockton avenue, at 3:30 this morning, J. W. Thrift, a prune picker, lately from Seattle, was shot in the hip by C. A. Hilp, Mrs. Woods' neighbor, and afterwards placed under arrest.

The man denies that he is a burglar, and asserts that he had been drinking, was on his way to his lodgings and made a mistake in the house. Thrift was sober when arrested.

HOW KEYES GOT SOME GEMS.

HOW HE FAILED TO RETURN THEM AND LANDED IN JAIL.

Charles Keyes has been taken into custody because he had too strong an attachment for two solitaire diamond rings, valued at $140, says the warrant, belonging to Mrs. I. D. Abbott of 1402 Franklin street.

Mrs. Abbott wanted to sell the diamonds but was persuaded not to by Keyes, according to the story, he suggested that the better way would be to pawn them as she would realize more and would still have a lien on the gems. He told her he knew a regular dealer who would be glad to make a liberal advance on them. He offered, it is said, to attend to the matter for her, as he knew she wouldn't like to do it herself and the lady trusted him to do so, according to the complaint, Keyes seems to have had a fit of mental abberration and seems to have forgotten to return with either the advance or the rings. He now says that he lost them Saturday.

BURROUGH TALKS ON LYNCHING.

DENOUNCES HANGING OF WYATT AS ILLEGAL AND ILL-ADVISED.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 14.—The lynching of David Wyatt, the negro school teacher, in Belleville, Ills., June 6, claimed special attention in the charge of Circuit Judge Burroughs to the St. Clair County Grand Jury, delivered today. Judge Burroughs said that the "crime was unfortunate, illegal and ill-advised." He urges that the utmost endeavor be made to discover and convict those who were guilty of the crime. He warned the jurors that their business interest must not be allowed to interfere with their belief as grand jurors.

LOSE HEAVILY IN ENGAGEMENT.

SOFIA, September 14.—A courier brings details of the engagements fought in the mountains of Pirin recently. On August 28th a band led by Stoganoff fought a force of Turkish troops.

The Turks lost fifty killed and had forty men wounded. Gogroff's band September 1st, ought 200 Turks who lost twelve men.

INVESTIGATION IS RESUMED.

JEFFERSON CITY, September 14.—The Cole County Grand Jury today resumed the investigation begun some time ago into the charges of boodling. A package containing letters supposed to be from Former Lieutenant-Governor Lee to D. J. Kelley, agent of the Baking Powder Trust, was opened. Nothing could be learned as to what the letters contained.

MRS. NETHERCOT DEAD.

Mrs. Helen Nethercot, wife of William Nethercot of 908 Pine street, died today, aged 52 years. Deceased was a native of Scotland and had resided here ten years. The funeral will take place Wednesday afternoon at Mountain View Cemetery.

MARRIOTT WANTS MONEY.

SUIT FOR DAMAGES AGAINST TOM WILLIAMS ON TRIAL IN 'FRISCO.

SAN FRANCISCO, September 14.—Frederick Marriott was on the stand today as principal witness for himself in his suit for damages against Thomas H. Williams.

Mr. Marriott spent an hour or more identifying pictures of the rooms in his house and describing these rooms and the hallway in detail.

He then testified to the facts of the shooting in much the same words as his testimony on the criminal case.

Frequent interruptions by consul, led to the argument on the part of Mr. Marriott's lawyer that much testimony not reveiant in a police court was competent in a civil case. This was the position sustained by the court.

WINTER AT ST. PAUL.

RIGORS OF THE COLD SEASON FELT IN VERY MANY PLACES.

ST. PAUL, Sept. 14.—The Dispatch today says:

Snow and rain has greatly damaged crops in the Northwest in the past week. Nearly all the grain in Sherlock, estimated at 50 per cent, and all the standing grain, much of it flax, is buried under snow and water. The rainfall has been eight inches in forty-eight hours. Rain, sleet and snow prevail all over the Northwest today. Railroad tracks are washed out and trains are abandoned. The trains from the Pacific Coast have been pushing slowly through deep snow for two days and are from ten to twenty hours late. The Great Northern Flyer, due here at 10:10 o'clock last night, did not arrive until 4 o'clock this morning.

THOMAS LIPTON ILL.

SUFFERS FROM INDIGESTION AND DOCTORS WORK OVER HIM FOR HOURS.

UTICA, N. Y., Sept. 14.—Sir Thomas Lipton and his party arrived on a special train from Raquette Lake about midnight last night. Sir Thomas had been spending a few days at Camp Kildare, with Timothy L. Woodruff. On the way down, Sir Thomas was taken violently ill with indigestion. A physician was summoned and worked over his patient about six hours and then accompanied him to Syracuse.

The private secretary to Sir Thomas, John Westwood, authorized the statement that the Baronet had not received any invitation from the Seawanhaka Club, nor had the Earl and Countess of Shaftesbury. He knew nothing at all of the matter until he had been informed of the story by a reporter. He will not return to New York until September 21st, and will sail for England on the 23d.

BLACK CAT IS A HOODOO

APPEARANCE OF ONE ON STAGE CAUSES FIGHT BETWEEN STAGE HANDS.

Saturday night when the performance at the Macdonough Theater had nearly reached a conclusion, a black cat wandered in on the stage, although not billed for an appearance. Cats of this particular color are considered hoodoos by the profession, and H. Martin, a stage hand, was wroth because Wash Perkins, colored, whose business it is to look after the stage entrance, did not keep the cat from coming in, and in the wordy warfare that followed, Martin accused Perkins of throwing the friendless feline on the stage.

In the melee that grew out of the discussion and the premature arrival of the cat, Martin was struck on the head, he alleges, by a cane in the hands of Perkins, whom he had arrested, charged with battery. After thinking the matter over until this morning, he decided the offense was worse than that and as soon as the battery charge was stricken from the calendar, Perkins was again arrested on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon.

Employes of the theater say they saw no deadly weapon used, and all agree that Perkins is a sober, industrious, reliable man and bears a splendid reputation. Martin, they say, is a would-be prize fighter and never lets an opportunity slip to impose upon Perkins. The consensus of opinion is that if Perkins did pull a gun he did it to prevent being killed and wholly in self-defense.

WALKING DELEGATE IS IN TROUBLE.

Willie Jacobus, "walking delegate" for the Newsboys' Union got into a discussion Saturday with Willie Ambrose, who vends papers but does not belong to the union. Jacobus tried to stop Ambrose from selling and the father of the boy warned Jacobus that he must leave his two sons alone. The abusive language of the Jacobus boy landed him in the city prison on a charge of disturbing the peace. This morning the case was set for tomorrow for hearing.

HIS WHEREABOUTS UNKNOWN

NO CLUE TO MISSING DAVID BANTA—SUICIDE STORY DENIED.

David Banta, the 12-year-old schoolboy who left his home at 1571 Broadway last Friday afternoon for school, is still absent and his parents have received no clue to his whereabouts.

Mrs. Banta admits that they are worried about the boy's absence, but insists that she does not believe he has committed suicide. She thinks he has probably boarded a train and been carried so far away that it will take him some time to get back, or that he may possibly have followed the circus away. The services of the police have been enlisted to help in tracing him.

David is large for his age and stoutly built. He wore, when he left home, a blue serge suit, blue cap, black laced shoes and a shirt made of black twilled material liberally sprinkled with small white stars. His mother says she could identify him by the shirt if by no other means because of its peculiar material and the further fact that it has a detachable collar of the same material, the usual method of making shirts for boys of this age being to have the collar a part of the shirt.

MOURNED DEATH OF WIFE.

HATCHER JOINS SPOUSE BEYOND BY MEANS OF SUICIDE ROUTE.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 14.—Grieving over the death of his wife, the news of which reached him three days after her decease, Robert S. Hatcher, aged 40 years, of La Fayette, Ind., shot himself in a room at the Planters' Hotel about noon today. Mr. Hatcher was a clerk in the office of Walter R. Stevens, secretary of the Louisiana Purchase Company.

Five years ago he was reading clerk in the House of Representatives, his wife's former home.

Mrs. Hatcher, at the time of her death, was corresponding secretary-general of the Daughters of the American Revolution. She had been ill several years with consumption. Her death occurred Friday at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. C. Bannard, in Chicago.

Mr. Hatcher's body was taken to the morgue. The police notified Mrs. Bannard, who, it is supposed, will take charge of the remains.

HAD NO FELLOW FEELING

CASALE RELIEVED OF $170 BY TWO FELLOW COUNTRYMEN.

When Giovanni Casale, an Italian gardener, came in from the Claremont district Saturday night to make some small purchases he put $172.50 and the tobacco bag in which he kept in in his pocket and brought it with him for safety. He spent $2.50 and started home with the remainder, but as he was walking up Claremont avenue about 10 o'clock, he was stood up by two masked men, whom he thinks were also natives of Italy, and relieved of the $170 he had remaining. The men, he says, stepped from behind a tree and at the point of their revolvers compelled him to halt. Then, while one of them kept him covered, the other went through him with the result as stated.

Casale was then given some orders, which he failed to understand, whereupon the robbers fell upon him, beat him and threw him down an embankment and fled. Casale lay there for a time unconscious, but on recovery went to his home, where his wounds were dressed. No arrests have yet been made.

BEAVERS MAKES NEW MOVE

POSTMASTER GENERAL DOES NOT RECOGNIZE NEW YORK SUBPOENA.

WASHINGTON, September 14.—George W. Beavers, the former chief of salaries and allowancee, Postoffice Department, has retained a local lawyer as counsel.

At the instance of the latter, a subpoena was served on the Postmaster-General today directing the production of the records in the Salary and Allowance division in connection with the supply of the Dent-Brandt cashiers at the hearing of Beavers to be held in New York, September 15, under the Brooklyn indictment. Beavers' counsel, in accordance with the legal requirements, tendered the Postmaster-General the prescribed fees and mileage expense necessary for the trip which the Postmaster-General declined to accept, explaining that it was impracticable for him to go to New York at that time.

MISERABLE WEATHER IN WISCONSIN.

SPARTA, Wisconsin, Sept. 14.—A terrific thunder and rainstorm last night added to the distressingly wet conditions prevailing in this section. Streets were flooded and much damage done to bridges and highways. Farm work has been practically at a standstill for three weeks.

OPPOSE TAXES ON COLLEGES

METHODIST CONFERENCE WOULD HAVE EDUCATIONAL HOUSES FREE FROM LEVY.

PACIFIC GROVE, Cal., Sept. 14.—At this morning's session of the California Methodist Episcopal Conference a permanent commission, consisting of Dr. Eli McClish, J. H. Bush, president of the Board of University Trustees, and Dr. F. D. Bovard, was appointed to co-operate with committees from other denominations in endeavoring to procure the exemption of denominational colleges in this State from taxation. A resolution was passed requiring the General Conference to memorialize the President and Congress, asking that the sale of intoxicating liquor be prohibited in the District of Columbia and on all islands and in territories under the Federal control.

A resolution condemning the laxness of the divorce laws of California was passed and George E. Larkin, A. J. Hanson and H. E. Milnes were appointed a committee to examine the laws and recommend measures to be taken to secure their revision.

A. P. Hendon of College Park was admitted to membership in the Conference. A motion prevailed fixing the time for electing delegates to the General Conference of 1904 immediately after the presentation of the findings of the committee trying the charges against Dr. J. D. Hammond. Len Schillinger, W. A. P. Rankin and Ernest Grigg were elected to deacons orders.

E. P. Laxell was granted a supernumary relation. Pacific Grove was named as the place where the next Conference shall be held, and the Conference went into executive sessions to pass upon the applications for admissions on trial and at the afternoon session the following were admitted:

A. J. Kennedy, Willard D. Kingsbury, Leon L. Loofburrough, T. C. Chihhashi, H. Saijo, S. Imai.

MORE CARRIERS FOR OAKLAND.

FIVE MORE MEN ADDED TO THE FORCE OF LOCAL DELIVERY.

Five more letter carriers have been added to the carrier force of the local Postoffice. This action was taken in the Postmaster-General's Department on Saturday last and information of the fact was wired here immediately. This makes eight carriers which have been secured within the last few months. In itself, this is an excellent evidence of the appreciation by the Postal Department of the growing needs of this city in the way of better and more expeditious delivery of mail in the widely-scattered districts which are witnessing an increase, both in the number of dwellings and occupants.

It is also a grateful recognition of the efforts of Postmaster T. T. Dargie, who aims constantly to improve the local mail service in all its branches. It is not at all improbable that before many months the local carrier force will be increased by two more men. The service of the five men just allowed begins October 1st.

CRUELLY SLAIN BY TURKS.

AMERICAN FAMILIES FEEL EFFECTS OF BRUTAL SAVAGERY.

BATTLE CREEK, Mich., Sept. 14.—Today's mail brought sorrowful news to three of the employes of the Battle Creek Iron Works. Philip Trifform, night watchman, was notified that two brothers and their children had been murdered in Turkish Macedonia; S. Forestry was informed that both his sons were murdered and M. Spealazer that his sons and an uncle were killed. The latter says that 1000 soldiers attacked a village of 2000, murdering all but 100 and leaving only ten buildings standing.

MEETS TONIGHT.

The City Council will meet this evening in an adjourned session, when the regular routine business will be disposed of.

Too Late for Classification

FOR SALE—Almost new automobile; Olds Runabout. Apply L. A. Stephenson, Adams wharf, Oakland. x

LOST—1 sorrel mare, white face, 2 white feet, single foot, undersaddle. Finder return to L. A. Stephenson, Adams wharf, Oakland. r

BRIGHT boy for collecting; good chance for advancement. 906 Broadway, room 74. d

PLEASANT room, suitable for 2; gentlemen preferred. 640 12th st. n

FLAT of 3 sunny rooms and bath; very reasonable. 918 Adeline st. m

OAKLAND NINE COMING TO THE FRONT FOOTBALL TEAMS PRACTICING—RELIANCE NIGHT.

TRIBUNE'S SPORTS

GOSSIP OF PRIZE FIGHTERS—SCOTTISH BOWLING— EXCELSIORS WIN GAME.

THE BASEBALL WORLD.

OAKLAND WINNING—CRIPPLES PLAY UNINTERESTING GAMES—PORTLAND FAILING.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.

Clubs—	W.	L.	Pct.
Los Angeles	98	54	.633
San Francisco	84	68	.549
Sacramento	76	72	.513
Portland	64	77	.454
Oakland	63	81	.431
Seattle	60	83	.420

SATURDAY'S GAMES.

At Los Angeles:

	R.	H.	E.
Los Angeles	4	10	4
San Francisco	8	12	3

Batteries—Hall and Hurlburt; Iberg and Zearfoss.

At Sacramento:

	R.	H.	E.
Sacramento	13	21	0
Portland	5	12	3

Batteries—Brown and Graham; Butler and Hess.

At San Francisco:

	R.	H.	E.
Seattle	7	11	4
Oakland	2	5	4

Batteries—Hughes and Byers; Graham and Gorton.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

At Sacramento:

	R.	H.	E.
Sacramento	5	8	4
Portland	3	13	2

Batteries—Thomas and Graham; Morris and Shea.

At Los Angeles:

	R.	H.	E.
Los Angeles	13	15	0
San Francisco	0	4	3

Batteries—Corbett and Hurlburt; Lindsay and Zearfoss.

At Oakland:

	R.	H.	E.
Seattle	1	9	1
Oakland	1	4	1

Batteries—St. Vrain and Wilson; Moskiman and Gorton.

At San Francisco:

	R.	H.	E.
Seattle	5	9	5
Oakland	11	13	2

Batteries—Barber and Wilson; Graham and Gorton.

Yesterday morning out in Golden Gate, Seattle and Oakland played a good game of base ball, notwithstanding the fact that there was considerable "back talk," and Manager Lohman again was obliged to "retire to the most remote part of the field and be seated." Devereaux, in avoiding a double play, ran out of the line and the ball hit him in the back. Wilson jumped in to protest. Lohman followed and there was a wordy war. Meanwhile, Brashear, Seattle's first baseman, shoved Devereaux off the bag and called Levy's attention while he touched the runner. Both pitchers did very well, especially men in a tight box. Seattle got a hit nearly every inning, but they did not seem to count.

Oakland got a little farther away from the bottom rung of the ladder yesterday by rubbing it into Seattle to the tune of 11 to 5. It was not such a very good game of baseball, for errors were fairly numerous, but the crowd was pleased so nothing more could be desired. The local boys found Barber for good hits several times. They started out to win by getting two runs the very first inning, while Seattle did not even make a hit. There was nothing doing for either side in the second; then the home boys made four more, with two men out in the third inning. In the fifth, Pitcher Graham sent Wilson to base on a dead ball and allowed Barber and Mohler to walk. An error by Francks allowed Wilson to score, and a long drive by Brashear got Barber in. The Seattle crowd did some hitting in the eighth, but it was too late to count.

The Sunday game in the capitol city was a most interesting one. For seven innings, Pitcher Morris did not a low but two measly hits. In the eighth, however, the Senators got "wise" to his throws, and bunching four hits, scored three runs. Two more scores made in the last gave the home team the game, for Portland could only get three towards the close of the contest.

The Angels shut out San Francisco yesterday. Corbett pitched a wonderful game and had fine assistance. The Los Angeles nine took a wonderful brace after Saturday's farce. San Francisco was decidedly weak. Krug took Lindsay's place in the box in the fifth.

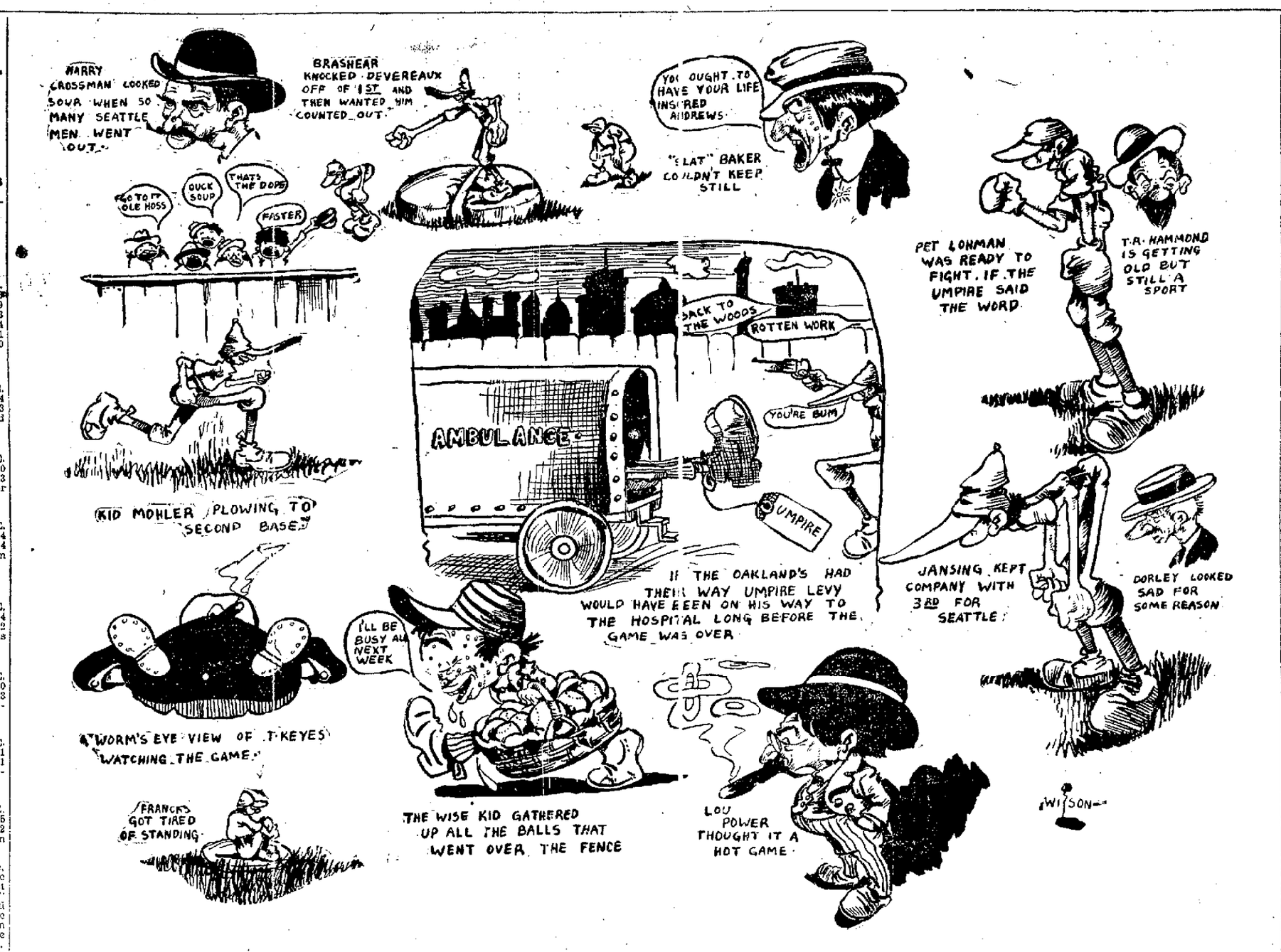
Saturday, in Sacramento, Portland was beaten in a slugging match, the Senators getting 21 safe hits off Butler, seven of them, all good for scores, came in the seventh inning. Brown twirled wall Mike Fisher's team.

The locals were trounced by Seattle Saturday afternoon. It seems that Wilson had to pay, much against his wishes, an old attorney's fee of $35. They lawyer had the uniforms attached, so Wilson was obliged to dig up. This made him hot, so he had his little crowd get even by beating Oakland. Hughes did his part by pitching a great game. It did not amount to much in the first two innings, for his support was ragged and the locals made two scores. Then the Northern crowd settled down and Oakland did not get a "look in" during the rest of the afternoon. Seattle, meanwhile, piled up seven scores.

The game in Los Angeles Saturday between the cripples was an uninteresting one. Hall pitched wildly and Iberg was hit pretty hard. Many errors were made on both sides.

LANDERS STEVENS AT THE MACDONOUGH.

Tonight starts the last performances of Landers Stevens' popular company at the Macdonough, when they produce that always welcome emotional drama, "East Lynne." If the advance sale indicates anything, this will prove to be the banner week of their four-weeks' stay. All the favorites are still in the cast and for this week a complete new set of scenery has been painted especially.



SOME OF THE INCIDENTS OF YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL GAME AS THE TRIBUNE'S CARTOONIST SAW THEM.

LOCAL TEAM IS IMPROVING.

PETE LOHMAN'S AGGREGATION IN A FAIR WAY TO RISE.

One of the pleasant surprises of the season in the Pacific Coast Baseball League, especially to the local fans, has been the sudden and decided improvement of the Oakland team. The locals began their good work by taking the last series from San Francisco, Portland and Seattle, and give every indication of finishing out the season as one of the strongest teams in the league.

When the season opened last March Los Angeles took the lead by winning fourteen straight games and continued to win a large majority of their games throughout the season, with the result that they have maintained the lead from the beginning and are now conceded the pennant. The secret of their success was good team work and fast play at all times.

Pete Lohman is fully as competent a captain-manager as Dillon, but he has been unfortunate and has had a streak of hard luck at his heels from the beginning. He has to contend with adverse criticisms, lack of support from fans, sickness of players and contract jumpers. He has enough to discourage a dozen ordinary men. Pete is no quitter, and finally he now has a team that can hold its own with the best on the coast and his chances for finishing in the first division are very bright at the present time even though his team is now fifth in the race.

When the season was opened the fans would see nothing good in the local team and seized every opportunity to roast the new players. They wanted Mohler, Francks and Streib back and did not hesitate to say so. The very fact that they would not encourage the new players disheartened the latter, and the result was poor baseball. Lohman has made a few changes when it was to his advantage to do so and he now has a team that play the game from start to finish.

In the outfield he has O'Hara, Kruger and Murdock, who were practically unknown when they came here, but under Lohman's careful coaching they have developed into first-class ball tossers. In the infield he has Francks at shortstop, Messerly at first, Schwartz at second and Devereaux at third, giving him a stonewall infield. Messerly and Schwartz were cast off by Portland, but they been playing great ball for Oakland. There are no better catchers than Gorton and Lohman in the league and Oakland is unusually strong in the pitching department with Cooper, Graham, Moskiman and Lee.

Now that Oakland is winning a large number of its games the fans are giving them the support that should have been theirs from the beginning. The Los Angeles fans are most decidely partial to their team and the baseball lovers of this city would do well to take a lesson from those in the southern city.

TO HAVE STRONG ELEVEN

RELIANCE CLUB'S FOOTBALL TEAM WILL BE A WINNER.

Manager George Smith of the Reliance football team feels confident that with the twenty-four sturdy men who make up the material from which he may draw his team, he will be enabled to form one at least, and possibly two, of the strongest club teams of years. At the riding acadamy building on Pacific avenue each evening, there meets for practice a team whose possible chances for being a championship eleven are strong to say the least, and whose opposing play will be very strong when it meets the Stanford 'varsity team at Palo Alto next Saturday, and the University of California eleven on the Berkeley campus September 26, and in the other games the schedules for which has not as yet been fixed.

The following constitutes some of the material at Manager Smith's disposal, when he decides upon his team of possible invincibles:

For halfbacks, Wooldrigge, once a half on the Vanderbilt University eleven and later head coach for the University of Texas; Mueller, once half on the Cornell University team and last year a player on the alumni team of his college; Geiser, Magee and McGilvray, ex-halfbacks of Stanford University, and D. Atkinson.

For quarter, Holt, ex-quarter on the University of Willamette; Falf of the Lowell High School and Evans of this city.

In the line, Smook, who played on the University of Illinois team three years ago, will hold down the center position; Fleck, Gaffey and Weirs, well known on the team in previous seasons, will fill the places at guard; McDonough, recognized as one of the most promising tackles that ever played on a University of California freshman team, is a candidate for the position of tackle. Hamilton, a past captain of the team, is certain of the other tackle position.

The candidates for end are Lewit and Irwin, ex-college men; Thomas, who played on the old Reliance team; Gocher of Vallejo and St. John and Beckeart, Mini, an ex-star halfback of the University of California, has announced that he may aid the team by his efforts behind the line.

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES TO ELECT OFFICER.

The annual meeting of the Associated Charities of Oakland is to be held this evening at the Board of Trade rooms, when the principal address is to be delivered by Rev. J. K. McLean, formerly pastor of the First Congregationel Church, now of Pacific Theological Seminary. His topic will be: "The Work of the State Board of Charities and Corrections." This board was established by act of the Legislature at the last session of that body. Governor Pardee appointed six citizens to serve on the commission in charge, without pay, namely Rev. J. K. McLean, Andrew M. Davis of the Emporium Company of San Francisco, Dr. E. C. Moore of the department of political economy of the University of California, Banker Patterson of Los Angeles, Father Ramm and O. K. Cushing of San Francisco.

STANFORD TEAM WEAK.

ANOTHER PLAYER HAS SUCCUMBED TO DREADED MALARIA FEVER.

The warm weather combined with the heavy practice has sent another strong player in the cardinal eleven to the Students' Guild Hospital with malarial fever. Anxiously watched for will be the recovery of these two tried and reliable men wherein lies much of this year's small amount of weight in the Stanford team.

As the past week brought forth no new candidates, and as Lee, McGilvray, Barnhisel and McFadden, last year's strong men, have not returned to college this season, the present team is by far the lightest the cardinal has had to battle on the gridiron for several years. Consequently if Stanford wins the great inter-collegiate game this fall it will be owing to the team's proficiency in the observance of minute points of the game, which is being so strongly insisted upon by Coach Lanagan in the practice games. And Stanford's victory would prove the interesting point that a light, fast team is better suited to the late changes in football rules, changes requiring much more open play than in former years.

The Saturday match between the Freshman team and that of Santa Clara College was postponed and a regular practice game was substituted, wherein the men were put through simple formations, and especial attention given to the offensive work of the line men.

In the practice of the week Coach Lanagan insisted that the players never lose sight of the ball, and in case of fumbles to fall on the leather rather than attempt to gain ground.

The first 'varsity line-up essayed during the last week was as follows:

Quarter-back, Bansbach, '04; fullback, Schofield, '06; right half, Chandler, '05; left half, Minturn, '07; left end, Butterfield, '04; left tackle, Stillman, '05; left guard, Van Sickle, '05; center, Hauverman, '04; right guard, Thompson, '04; right tackle, Weller, '07.

RURAL DELIVERY AT BAKERSFIELD.

BAKERSFIELD, Sept. 14.—Tomorrow morning a rural free delivery will be started from the Bakersfield postoffice to the Kern River oil fields, leaving here at 8:30 o'clock every morning.

ARRAIGNMENT CONTINUED.

The case of Isochi Murase, the Japanese cook charged with killing a countryman in an Eighth-street resmorning continued until the 16th inst. morning continuel until the 16th inst. for arraignment because of the absence of the attorney employed by defendant.

TO BE CHAMPION BICYCLIST.

Iver Lawson, who will go to Australia to win the rich stakes there of $75,000 offered for the best wheelmen. He will afterwards cover the leading cycle tracks of the world in an attempt to add still further to his laurels.

MARTIN TO MEET M'VEY.

ENGAGEMENT WILL TAKE PLACE IN LOS ANGELES TOMORROW.

LOS ANGELES, Sep. 14.—Denver Ed Martin and Sam McVey have finished their preparatory work and will meet tomorrow night at Hazard's Pavilion in a twenty-round fight. The winner will meet Jack Johnson for the heavyweight championship in the colored class. There has been very little betting on tomorrow night's contest, but the inclination is to make it an even thing. Both are in good condition.

GUARDED ON STAG HUNT.

VIENNA, Sept. 14.—As a result of the Italian Government in forming the Government here that three Italian anarchists have gone to Hungary, extra precautions were taken to guard Emperor William, who is to arrive at Karapagna, where he is to go stag hunting with the Archduke Frederick.

Card cases of tapestry are among the pretty articles in this line and come in beautiful designs.

WANT AL NEIL TO FIGHT

HAYES VALLEY CLUB WOULD ARRANGE A MATCH FOR HIM.

Though the supposition is that Al Neil has retired from the ring, Morris Levy is making a strong effort to arrangea bout between him and Dixie Kid on the 29th. Such a match will turn the Eddie Hanlon-Benny Yanger affair on that same date into a double main event.

Failing to find Dixie who is vaguely suposed to be in Sacramento and to arrange the proposed match, Levy has a strong inclination to bill George Fuller against the winner of the Jack Cordell-Joe Curgell fight if possible.

Though Billy Pierce of Boston has heretofore cared for the business interests of Ben Jordan a man signing himself Horan now assumes that pose and writes offerings to pit Jordan against anyone in the world at not more than 128 pounds, naming Young Corbett as special preference.

BOWLERS WIN BY CLOSE SCORE.

While a large crowd of enthusiasts watched a number of good matches, the Scottish bowling tournament, in progress in Golden Gate Park for some weeks past, was brought to a close.

McGilvray after much see-saw work, finally, with a close score of 21 to 20, won from Andrew Woods what was easily the feature of the afternoon's play.

James Hutchinson and John Reid did some clever bowling and easily disposed of their opponents. Reid won from James Mearnes by a score of 21 to 11, and Hutchinson disposed of John T. Dare by 21 to 7. The other two matches resulted in victories for J. M. Earsman over I'Hommedieu 21 to 9, and T. Aiken over J. Rolph Jr., 21 to 8.

A number of players failed to put in an appearance for their matches and consequently lost by default. J. Elder and J. B. Low drew together and both weer defaulted. D. L. Dunn a bye over W. H. Stewart, Crowe a bye over J. D. Robertson, Robert Park a bye over C. Hamilton and John McLaren a bye over Rev. William K. Guthrie.

DEMANDS INTERVENTION IN MACEDONIA

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 14. — The Novoe Vremya today demands intervention in Macedonia and proposes as a solution of the difficulties, the attaching of officers of the foreign powers to all Turkish repressive expeditions with authority to prevent cruelty.

STEAMER CAPSIZED IN STORM.

LA CROSSE, Wis., Sept. 14. — The steamer Park Bluff was capsized in a fierce storm which prevailed on the Mississippi last night and Engineer Furgerson of this city was drowned. The members of the crew were saved.

EXCELSIORS WON GAME.

WENT OVER TO SAN FRANCISCO AND BEAT THE THISTLES.

The Excelsior baseball team of Oakland played the Thisties of San Francisco yesterday and won by a score of 5 to 1. The game was played across the bay on the Thistles' diamond and the large crowd of rooters who were yelling for the Thistles went home sorely disappointed.

There was not a costly error made on either side, but the local team won by outbatting its opponents. The Thisties could not get more than four hits off Cox, who pitched excellent ball for the Excelsiors. Rossiter made a star one-hand catch in the seventh inning and was wildly cheered by the crowd.

The teams lined-up as follows:

Excelsiors—Haley, third base; Taylor, second base; De Brunner, first base; Carey, catcher; Elwell, right field; Cuzner, center field; Dickinson, shortstop; Gibson, left field; Cox, pitcher.

Thisiles—Burnham, left field; Hanscomb, second base; Neull, first base; Simpson, catcher; Smith, right field; Rossiter, center field; Mackie, shortstop; Hall, third base; Sargent, pitcher.

WHITE WINGS ON A CRUISE.

On Saturday last a number of the yachts that did not participate in last week's annual inter-club regatta left their moorings to take advantage of the four days holiday in cruising the rivers.

The Thetis and Ariel of the San Francisco Club left Saturday night, cruised up Petaluma creek, reaching Lakeport at 1:30 p. m. Sunday, where they were joined half an hour later by the Idler and Thelma of the California Yacht Club.

The Espey of the Corinthian Club was also anchored in the creek.

NO LIQUOR SOLD IN RANDSBURG.

BAKERSFIELD, Sept. 14.—As a result of a disturbance created by a number of strike-breakers who arrived a few days ago from Joplin, Mo., to work on the Yellow Aster mine, Sheriff Kelly has closed all the saloons in Randsburg and now not a drop of liquor can be purchased in the mining town. With the exception of the trouble mentioned there has not been the slightest breach of peace in the town. About sixty men are now working in the Yellow Astor mine, but the mill has not been started. About eighty of the strikers are making their headquarters in the Randsburg, some working on leases of their own and others in the smaller mines around town which have recognized the union.

NEWS FROM ALAMEDA

CLAIMS VICTORY FOR CLIENTS

KASE SAYS REFERENDUM IS MANDATORY UPON TRUSTEES.

ALAMEDA, Sept. 14.—Thomas Kase, the attorney who represents the Board of Trade in the present franchise controversy, asserts that the referendum is mandatory and that the citizens will prove victors in their contest. Mr. Kase expressed his views last night in the following words:

"When my attention was first called to the referendum, I must confess that I had my doubts regarding its legality. But I have studied it in every light and the more I look up the authorities the more certain I am of our ground. The referendum is mandatory and the people must be given a voice. What their vote will be has been already demonstrated. Many of them are with us, although their business interests prevent their coming out boldly.

"We are on the eve of municipal ownership of an electric line. I have talked with a well known promoter who has installed electric roads, and he declares that the subscriptions offered by the people of Alameda will pay for the road. It is proposed to run it to the mole and connect with the Santa Fe boats, thereby preventing the long delay necessary in building a ferry system.

"The best people in Alameda are with us, but they are timid about expressing themselves. The fact is that they have been for so long in the power of the Southern Pacific they are afraid to rebel."

EQUALITY CLUB MEETS.

ALAMEDA, Sept. 14.—An important meeting of the Political Equality Club was held this afternoon at the home of Mrs. B. H. Hinchman, 1556 Everett street. Officers and delegates were elected and other matters of importance were discussed.

DEATH OF MRS. WOODS.

ALAMEDA, Sept. 14.—Mrs. Marian P. Woods, a pioneer resident of Alameda, died yesterday morning at her residence, 1261 Broadway. Mrs. Woods is survived by a son Chester Woods, who is connected with the United States Railway service.

The remains are to be cremated tomorrow afternoon at the Oakland crematorium.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

ALAMEDA, Sept. 14. — Miss Paula Grant of 348 Railroad avenue will arrive the early part of this week from Eureka on the steamer Corona. Miss Grant is a talented vocalist and while in Humboldt county rendered selections in several churches.

L. L. Schule and J. C. Croll left today for a two week's hunting and fishing trip to Mendocino county.

Mrs. T. N. Chapman and her daughter, Miss Dollie Chapman, are expected to arrive soon on the steamer St. Paul.

CHURCH GYM DEDICATED.

ALAMEDA, Sept. 14.—The new gymnasium, which was recently completed for the Unitarian Church, was dedicated last Friday evening with appropriate exercises.

The program was in charge of the following committee: Fred W. Van Sicklen, Philip Taylor, Frank Butler, Kenneth Abbott, Earl Sonsdrid and Carl Shattuck.

An excellent musical program was rendered by the members of the Boys' Unity Club, an organization of about fifty members.

The gymnasium is so fitted up that it may be used for lectures, dancing or social events.

DIED OF OLD AGE.

ALAMEDA, Sept. 14.—Mrs. Marion P. Wood died at her home, 1261 Broadway, at 10 o'clock yesterday morning, after a brief illness. Mrs. Wood was 83 years of age and was a native of New York. She had been a resident of Alameda for over thirty-five years. She leaves a son, Chester F. Wood, who is in the railway mail service. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon, at 2 o'clock, in the chapel of the Oakland Crematory.

ADELPHIANS WILL MEET.

ALAMEDA, Sept. 14.—Tomorrow afternoon the first meeting of the music section of the Adelphian Club since the summer holidays will be held. An interesting program has been arranged by Mrs. George Hanbrow and will be under her direction.

Mrs. Marriner Campbell will deliver an address on "What I Saw and Heard in the Studios of Paris." She will be assisted by three of her vocal pupils.

JAP RIDES ON WALK.

ALAMEDA, Sept. 14.—A Jap, whose name is harder looking than its possessor, was arrested by Officer Walmuth yesterday for riding a bicycle upon the sidewalk.

Shoji Tuwdoo is his name and he deposited the customary $5 fine.

MISS BRONSON ENGAGED.

ALAMEDA, Sept. 14.—An engagement, which will prove of much interest in local society circles, has just been announced, that of Miss Marie Louise Bronson to Charles E. Sejhton. Miss Bronson is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. C. Wallace Bronson of Park street. The wedding will take place in October.

EXPERT ACTION BY BOARD

PLUM TO BE PLUCKED SHORTLY IN THE SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

ALAMEDA, September 14.—The Board of Education will hold its regular meeting tomorrow night and it is expected that a successor to Fred T. Moore, who was recently promoted from the office of principal of the Mastick School to that of Superintendent of Schools, will be chosen. At present there are no names mentioned prominently for the position, and it is known that several of the school directors prefer to postpone appointing his successor until a later date. Mr. Moore is at present keeping his eye on the Mastick School as well as assuming the duties of his new office.

LEAHEY CHILD DIES.

ALAMEDA, Sept. 14.—Little Mary Leahey, aged 2 years, the infant daughter of Mrs. Leahey, whose destitute condition was brought to light several days ago, died yesterday afternoon of diphtheria. The Leahey case was one of the saddest ever seen in this city—the father in a continued state of intoxication, the mother and children weak from want of nourishment and stricken with diphtheria. Supervisor Talcott will see that the body is given burial.

ANNUAL CONGRESS CONVENES

SOCIAL DEMOCRATS ASSEMBLE FOR CONFERENCE IN GERMANY.

DRESDEN, Sept. 14.—Representatives of 3,000,000 Social-Democrat voters, more than a quarter of the entire German electorate, began their annual congress here today. Herr Bebel and Herr Willmar, the Bavarian Socialist leaders, are expected to join issue tomorrow regarding the adoption of opportunist tactics during the coming sessions of the Reichstag. Meanwhile the delegates discussed the financial business of the party and listened to addresses from foreign delegates.

Gaylor Wilshire, in the name of the Socialists of the United States, congratulated the Republican Social Democrats of Germany on "their marvelous organization and still more marvelous electoral triumphs." Mr. Wilshire said the antagonism of capital and labor was assuming in the United States forms more acute than in Europe, "owing mainly to the developments of the trusts."

The crisis in the existing capitalistic system, he asserted, would be precipitated first in the great Trans-Atlantic Republic and would spread thence to Europe, "leading to the universal dominion of Social Democracy."

FINED FOR DRIVING ON THE BOULEVARD.

F. H. Morrison was on trial this morning for violating the ordinance prohibiting the driving of heavily loaded teams upon the boulevard. He set up the defense that he did not drive upon that highway lengthwise, but merely crossed it to avoid a bad place in the road, and that as there was no sign at the boulevard to warn persons that they must not drive there he did not know he was violating an ordinance. Every opportunity was given the defendant to show his innocence, but upon his admission that his wagon weighed 4500 pounds while the ordinance limits the load that may be driven there to 3,000 pounds, the judge was compelled to find him guilty and sentenced him to pay a fine of $2.50. There was a generally expressed opinion, however, among officers and attorneys that the Board of Works was very derelict in its duties in not placing a warning notice at the beginning of the boulevard.

JIM FAIR'S BROTHER IS IMPROVING.

SAN JOSE, Sept. 14.—Andrew Fair, brother of the late James G. Fair, who was reported critically ill yesterday, is much better today, though he is not yet out of danger.

A complete toilet set of sterling silver, in what is called the poppy design, is among the many things in the shops that attract. This set includes everything that can be thought of—combs, brushes, manicure articles, mirrors, curling tongs—well, everything.

POVERTY SAVED CRUEL DRIVER

JOE MULLER NARROWLY ESCAPES A HEAVY PENALTY.

ALAMEDA, September 14.—Joe Muller, a youth arrested for driving a badly crippled horse yesterday morning only escaped a heavy fine because of the extreme poverty of the family. Young Muller drives a milk wagon which is the only visible means of support that his parents possess. The horse is barely able to walk yet the driver when arrested was using a heavy whip upon the poor beast.

In suspending judgment this morning, Judge Cone addressed the mother of the boy as follows: "My only reason for releasing you boy without a heavy fine is the poor circumstances which you are now in. My advice to you is to use more feed and less whip. If this case ever comes up again before me you will be lucky to get off with $50."

BOARD RECEIVED REPORTS

ROUTINE BUSINESS DISPOSED OF BY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session this morning with a full board present. The following business was transacted:

REPORTS.

From road foreman of Piedmont road district for July and August. Filed.

From Justice of Peace Sandholdt for August. Filed.

From the Health Officer for month of August. Filed.

From Coroner Mehrmann from July 31 to August 13, inclusive. Filed.

Reports were also received from the following road foremen for the month of August: William Day, Vallecitos district; Jesse Young, Altamont district; D. McDonald, Murray district; John Dugan, Newark district; R. H. Bonner, Niles district; F. M. Mayer, Decoto district. They were ordered filed.

COMMUNICATIONS.

A communication was received from Union High School No. 1, giving an estimate of the amount required for the coming school year. The figure stated was $5000.

A communication was received from the State Board of Equalization at Sacramento, informing the Board of Supervisors the rate of State taxes fixed by the equalizers. It is divided as follows: General fund, 34.3 cents; school fund, 17.3 cents, interest and sinking fund, 1.0 cents, making a total of 52.6 cents. Added to this is two cents ad valorem tax for the State University and one and one-half cents for high schools, making a grand total of 56.1 cents.

NAME CHANGED.

A resolution introduced by Supervisor Talcott changing the name of Talcott avenue to Roosevelt avenue was adopted. The street in question is situated in Brooklyn township.

APPLICATION.

An application was received from Hans W. Rohde for a liquor license at San Lorenzo. The application was ordered printed for the prescribed period in the Haywards Review.

SCHOOL TAX RATE.

County Superintendent of Schools T. O. Crawford filed an estimate with the board relative to the minimum rate for the school tax. He fixes it at 20 cents on the $100 valuation as against 26 cents last year.

COMMISSIONERS CHOSEN.

A resolution was introduced and adopted substituting the names of Theodore Gier and W. H. Wellace as commissioners from Alameda county to the St. Louis Exposition. They take the places of Edwin Stearns and J. C. Shinn.

TO REGISTER INDIGENTS.

Supervisor H. D. Rowe introduced a resolution to have all indigents receiving county aid, reregistered. By the terms of the resolution, all who are receiving county aid must renew their application before the first Monday in November. The resolution was passed.

AFFIDAVITS OF PUBLICATION.

Affidavits of publication were filed on the following applications for liquor licenses: James Coates, East Fourteenth street; Frank Connolly, Ocean View; Henry D. Detels, Sausal Creek.

Affidavit of publication to non-consenting land owners relative to the proposed county road No. 3100 in the Niles road district was filed.

PETITION FOR IMPROVEMENT.

A largely signed petition was received by the board, asking for the improvement of Jones avenue in Elmhurst. It was ordered filed.

A resolution was introduced to have a new steel bridge put in across the Arroyo de Laguna at Sunol, on the road leading from that place to Pleasanton. The measure was passed and the contract awarded to Cotter Bros. The contract price is $11,280 and the work must be completed within 30 days.

LOS ANGELES SIGNS MEN FOR NEXT YEAR.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 14.—Manager Morley has signed Third Baseman Judson Smith and Shortstop James Toman for the season of 1904. These two players, together with Newton and Dillon, form the nucleus of next year's Los Angeles ball team.

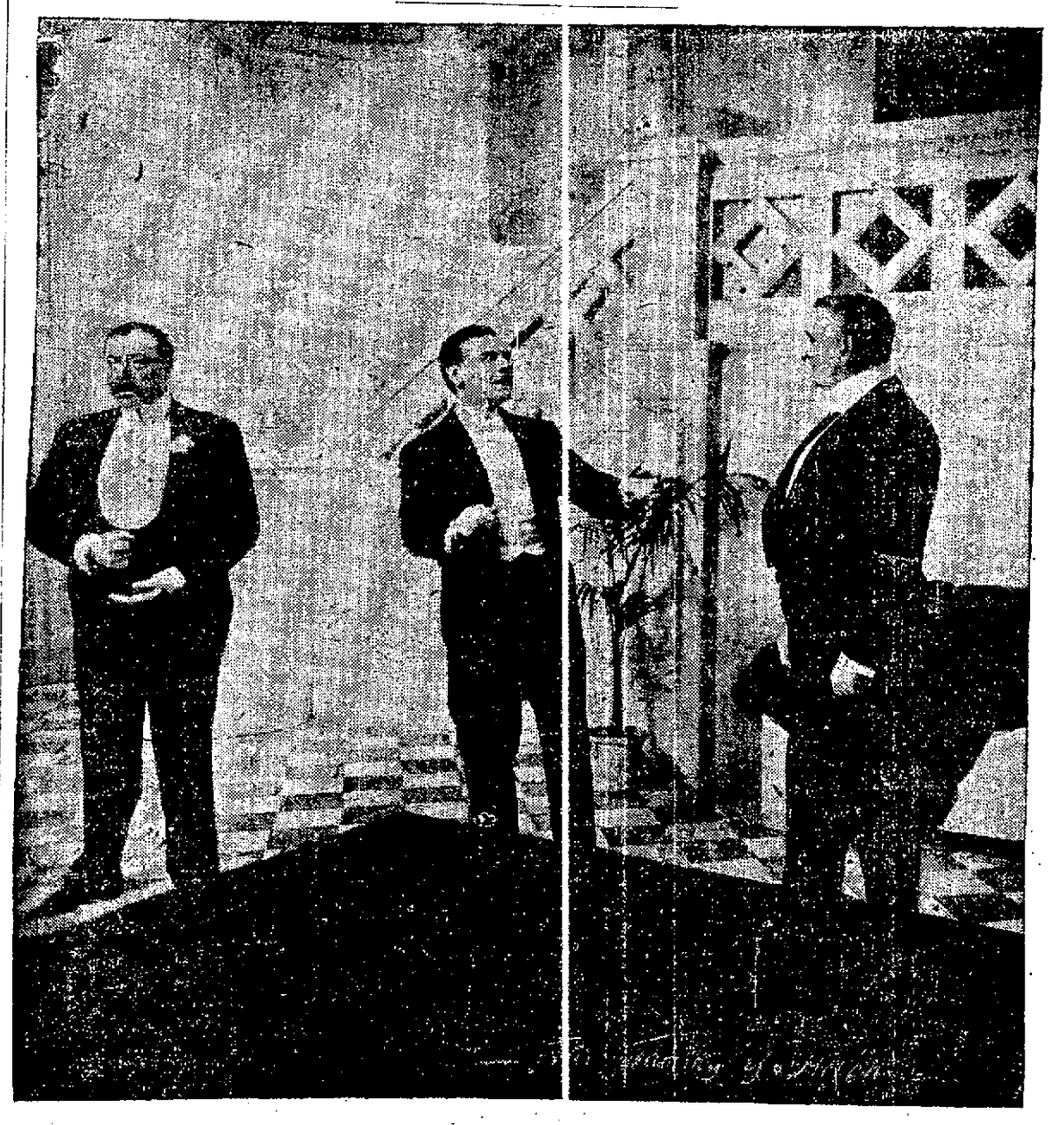
Many women have discovered that "living on a motor car" is most destructive of beauty. Moderate motoring, by improving health and the capacity for sleep, enhances a woman's charm, but the hardened tourist type of 150 miles a day tans and coarsens her skin and gets crow's feet round her eyes, her face loses its soft, womanly contour and gains hardness and determination.

SHE SANG AT THE C. E. MEETING.

ETHEL PALMERTON.

When the Junior Christian Endeavorer Convention convened at the First Congregational Church Saturday among those who assisted in the musical program was little Ethel Palmerton of Alameda, whose voice has proven an attraction at endeavorer assemblages. Although but eleven years of age, the little endeavorer has a particularly melodious voice. When Miss Maud L. Robertson, who has charge of the junior work, was organizing her musical program Miss Palmerton was among the first chosen.

HENRY MILLER AND MARGARET ANGLIN AT MACDONOUGH



SCENE IN "THE TAMING OF HELEN."

The co-stars, Henry Miller and Margaret Anglin, will be at the Macdonough Theater one night only, Monday, September 21, when they will present for the first time in this city Mr. Richard Harding Davis' clever three-act comedy, entitled "The Taming of Helen," which ran for ninety nights at the Savoy Theater, New York, last season.

In the part of Philip Carroll, the struggling author, Henry Miller will be shown as his natural self for the first time in his career as a star. It is a curious coincidence that in all of the plays that have hitherto shown Mr. Miller as an actor of high artistic attainments, he has been compelled to conceal his identity in a character part. In each play he has undoubtedly made a very strong impression, and it will therefore prove a pleasing innovation to his admirers to see just what the real Henry Miller looks like.

Miss Margaret Anglin as "Marion Cavendish," leading lady of the Imperial Theater, London, gives this talented actress an opportunity for the displayal of the entire gamut of her dramatic art. In the third act Miss Anglin impersonates a boy. All the other members of the Henry Miller-Margaret Anglin organization will be seen to good advantage in Mr. Davis' comedy. Mr. George S. Titheradge as "Sir Charles Winpole," Morton Selten as "Regie Herbert," Walter Allen as "The Duke of Deptford," Walter Hitchcock as "The Marquis of Woodcote," Miss Martha Waldron as "Helen," Victoria Addison as "Mrs. Evlan," Kate Pattison Selten as "Lady Gower," Mary Bertrand as "Miss Trevellyan," Blanche Ross as "Miss Margot Fraser," and Grace Daniels as "Miss Rossmead."

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PUTTING THE CART BEFORE THE HORSE.

A proposition is before the people of San Francisco to issue bonds for various public improvements, including larger school facilities, a public hospital and a sewer system. It is also proposed to submit a bond issue for the acquirement and operation of the Geary street railroad as a public utility.

It is interesting to note the difference of opinion as to what constitutes the more necessary objects to be served for the moment.

San Francisco is shockingly deficient in school accommodations. The majority of the buildings in use are old, ramshackle wooden structures, ill ventilated, badly lighted and imperfectly heated. There is a notable lack of proper sanitary arrangements. Poor as the accommodations are, they leave fully 25 per cent of the children of school age unprovided for. The present county hospital is a wretched barn, the county jail is a miserable hole—unsafe, foul, and pest-breeding; the sewer system is a nondescript combination of makeshifts.

When it is proposed to construct new schoolhouses and a new hospital and lay down a scientific sewer system, a queer lot of objections are entered.

One man says it is more necessary for the city to acquire street railroads than it is to build new schoolhouses. Another says he wants the city to set up a gas plant before it undertakes to erect a decent hospital and jail. A third says the city should proceed to acquire a water supply before thinking of constructing a sewer system. Here we have admitted public necessities on which action must be taken set aside for embryotic schemes not yet in a shape to be acted on. It is putting off a present responsibility on the ground that others of greater importance will come along by and by. If people would only cross the rivers as they come to them they would save themselves a world of trouble. Oakland is an object lesson showing what comes of crossing streams before they are reached and neglecting to pass over the rivers immediately in front. That is why the city has no park worthy of the name, no public buildings worthy of the name, and has neglected to improve Lake Merritt.

The San Francisco Star says:

"Anthracite coal is dearer than it ever was. The Commission made its award, the strikers got better conditions, and the monopoly makes the general public pay for it all."

It is more than probable that the combine which controls the anthracite collieries and the railroads which carry the product to market are not treating the public right, nevertheless the increase in the cost of anthracite is not entirely due to manipulation. The cost of production is increasing and so is the demand. The supply is limited and confined to a restricted territory. These facts alone tend to create higher prices, aside from the control exercised over the output by a combination seeking profit.

WATCHFULNESS IS NEEDED.

The city authorities should not sleep on their protest against the scheme to close the strait connecting Lake Merritt with the harbor. They should impress their earnestness in this matter on the harbor line board in every way possible. If they wait till action is taken adverse to their interests, they will have the greater difficulty in reversing that action. The probabilities are that the mischief will be beyond repair. Our Senator and Congressman should be called on to enter strenuous objections before the War Department to narrowing the channel in a way to close it to navigation above Seventh street. This is a matter of grave importance, and it should not be neglected. The city's welfare is paramount to any private interests. The lake is a public utility as well as an ornamental feature of the city. Its preservation is necessary to public health and to the usefulness of the main lake sewer. It is the duty of the city authorities to keep this in mind, and to labor earnestly to avert action that threatens serious injury to the city's interests.

It is rather strange to find School Director Thomas P. Woodward of San Francisco throwing cold water on the proposed bond issue for new school buildings. Mr. Woodward was appointed by Mayor Schmitz, who was elected primarily as a representative of the working classes. The workingmen are interested in a personal sense more than anybody else in having ample accommodations provided in the public schools. Relatively, they have more children to educate than their richer neighbors. The wealthy can educate their children in private institutions, but the poor must send theirs to the public schools. It is doubly strange therefore to find an appointee of a Mayor elected on the labor ticket opposing expenditures necessary to equipping the city with adequate school facilities.

A QUESTION OF HONOR.

The Colusa Sun reminds us that the Monroe Doctrine was never designed to protect the South and Central American States in repudiating their treaty and financial obligations. The reminder was unnecessary. But in protecting South and Central American territory from seizure by foreign nations, the United States does provide a way for the socalled Spanish republics to repudiate their obligations without fear of reprisal. They can be chastised by force of arms for violating the comity of nations, but they cannot be compelled to make financial reparation because our country holds their territory inviolate from seizure.

Thus that mongrel rascal, Castro, the despot of Venezuela, is enabled to defy decency and every principle of international law with impunity. The foreign trade of Venezuela is almost exclusively in the hands of foreigners and blockading or bombarding the seaports harms the natives little. English and German merchants and capitalists suffered the greatest loss in the recent blockade instituted by Germany and Great Britain.

Since the withdrawal of the blockade and the submission of the questions at issue to an international court of arbitration, Castro has resumed his pillage of foreign residents. The laws of his own country are no more respected than are the laws of other nations and of international comity. As Uncle Sam stands with double-shotted guns, warning European powers to keep their hands off Venezuelan territory, the United States is in a sense abetting the brigandage practiced by the dusky dictator of Venezuela. It protects him in his violation of the canons of common honesty along with his defiance of treaty obligations and the comity of nations.

Our Colusa contemporary says:

"Certainly the Monroe Doctrine is not intended to cover or protect in any way such actions as are continually reported from Venezuela, and other Central American States. If the United States feels obliged to protect the integrity of the territory of all these petty States, it must take them in hand some way. It will soon be so squarely 'up to us' that we had as well begin to discuss probable outcome."

This is so entirely true that it is strange it has not more strongly appealed to the public mind. If we are going to protect such rascally governments as exists in Venezuela, we will have to make them pay up and behave themselves. We cannot go on, as England has done for a hundred years with Turkey, standing sponsor for international piracy. We take under the protecting folds of our flag, every form of national dishonor. We cannot defend the code of Black Bart applied to international usage.

While the United States stands fast to the Monroe Doctrine, that theory is attacked in its most vital part by the very people it was intended to protect. The South American republics continually conduct themselves in such a manner as to render the enforcement of the Monroe Doctrine more difficult by making it operate as a bar to punishment for flagrant crimes against civilization and the peace and courtesy and honorable dealing that should subsist between nations. We can't stand for predation, treachery and murder.

Cutting telephone wires is not an argument that appeals to the sense of justice of fair-minded, law-abiding citizens. Neither is it an impressive evidence of a desire to win a cause by lawful and gentlemanly methods. In brief, it is vandalism.

The value of advertising depends upon the value of the medium. A good medium will yield good results; a poor one will always fail to give satisfactory returns.

The scheme of restocking South Africa with cattle from Texas is successfully progressing. The second cargo from Galveston arrived at Port Natolia in excellent condition. Out of 1500 heifers only thirteen had died on the voyage. Of the first cargo of 2550 head only twenty-two died in transit. These cattle are not the traditional long horns of the Texas plains, but are Shorthorns, Herefords, Holsteins and other blooded breeds. A longhorned steer is now a rarity in Texas. Even the process of breeding up is going on to the south of the Rio Grande, where the cattle men are learning the value of stock that run to beef rather than to horns and legs.

In dealing with the Postoffice scandal there seems to be a disposition to separate the sheep from the goats—scapegoats. The sheep may be classed as escapes.

It was only a coincidence of course that Mayor Olney left for the mountains the day after exhorting the ladies of the Ebell to pitch in and clean the streets.

Raffia has become such a fad that any and all things are being created from it. Among the newest are lamp shades, usually adorned with leaves, poppies or a bunch of cherries, and while odd, they are not altogether attractive.

Chips From Other Blocks

Corbett's latest monologue is being severely criticized by those who have heard it. But then it can't be worse than his latest fight.—Memphis Scimetar.

Kaiser Wilhelm has purchased the estate and castle of Demm-Muehle. Evidently the man who named that castle has worked with the Missouri variety of draft animal.—Topeka Herald.

The weather in Bulgaria is chilly on the day when no massacre of helpless women and children is reported. This is where Breathitt county, Kentucky, shines in comparison.—Seattle Times.

In its discussion of the trusts the American Bar Association says it can compel them to render cheaper service. We are quite willing for them to try their remedy on Baer, whatever it is.—Rochester Herald.

Somehow the news that Shamokin (Pa.) collieries, employing 3000 men, are to shut down on account of an overcrowded coal market does not lead to a general expectation that the price of coal is to fall 50 cents a ton.—Boston Globe.

Tammany politicians are reported to have lost $400,000 at the Saratoga races, and that, too, with an election coming on and the price of votes fixed at the Maryland Republican quotations.—Washington Post.

Instead of going to look for the north pole it is enough excitement for most men to stay at home and pay tribute to the coal trust.—Chicago News.

Another woman has shown her ability to fight with the stove poker. This is adding a new weapon to the hat pin and the scissors.—Seattle Times.

There is another thing with a "Uneeda" name. It is about time for the public to rise upon its hind legs and remark that "Wenceedarest."—Denison Herald.

THE COMIC MUSE.

Fair women and sweet children
Are ruthlessly cut down
By bloody Turks, with guns and dirks,
When they shoot up a town.
Why doesn't the committee
In hatpins long invest
To arm the weeping women?
They can do the rest.

KICKED INTO HEAVEN.

At six the Shah of Stamboul
Had tickled the heels of a moul.
At quarter to seven
He landed in heaven—
Coroner's verdict, "Darn foul!"
—Newark News.

DREAMY SCREAMS.

There once was an old man Weymss,
Used to dream such remarkable dremyss.
The folks started aghast
At the things he forecast,
And gave vent to their terror in Scrmyss.
—Tit-Bits.

AN ASTRONOMIC THEORY.

Dey say dey's found a comet,
I shouldn' be surprise'
If a lightnin' bug wif whiskers
Is whut fool dem folks so wise.
—Washington Star.

SOME PASSING JESTS.

"So you have married the only girl in the world"

"Yes," replied Mr. N. Wed, "I wanted to keep all the rest of the fellows out of trouble."—Nashville American.

"He boasts that he is a confirmed bachelor."

"Perhaps he makes a virtue of necessity."

"Perhaps, and yet necessity may be its own reward."—Brooklyn Life.

"I suppose," said a benevolent visitor to the bright-looking patient, "that there are many people in this asylum who really ought not to be here."

"Well, there may be a few, but think of the crowds outside who ought to be here with you and me."—Chicago Record.

Mrs. Greene—Now tell me truly, do you believe it is any benefit to punish children

Mrs. Berch—Certainly. You can't imagine how much better I feel after I've given Tom and Mabel a good trouncing.—San Francisco Wasp.

NEW NAMES FOR PIES.

"This pie is entirely too affectionate," complained the Cheerful Idiot.

"What's that?" asked the puzzled waiter girl.

"I say it's too affectionate—the upper crust is stuck on the lower. Bring me some of that dropstitch pie over there."

And after some difficulty it was beaten into the head of the distressed maiden that he wanted some of the cranberry pie with the lattice-work cover.—Baltimore American.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Poverty brings many strange landlords.

Figures may not lie, but estimates are often misleading.

In a swell cafe there's many a tip twixt the cup and the lip.

If angels fear to tread where fools rush in they should use their wings.

An optimist is a man who thinks his neighbors are almost as good as himself.

No, Cordelia, don't think for a minute that because every man has his price he gets it.

It is the man at the little end of the horn who is either hooted or applauded by the crowd.

A man may be the architect of his own fortune, but he can't induce the sun to shine in every room.

The canary stops singing in his old age, but the poet keeps everlastingly at it till the undertaker gets busy.

If every man would take as much interest in his work as he does in trying to avoid it, poverty would soon be a word without meaning.

Chicago News.

Hints for the Ladies.

Spanish embroideries, notable for heavy raised effects, are popular.

Monograms and crests, beautifully embroidered, mark the finest household linen.

Breakfast, luncheon, carving and tray cloths are made of butchers' linen, with simple hemstitched hems.

Chinese and Japanese embroideries on satin are among the loveliest for screens and other more or less useful furnishings.

For pin cushions anyone who likes odd little things will be delighted with the little quaker ladies in bonnet and gray gown.

When one desires a really artistic bedspread one naturally turns to embroidery and heavy hand-made laces, with heavy linens for the foundation.

Sofa cushions and chair covers are now made in the old-fashioned cross-stitch work on canvas, with shaded wools. These covers, started, can be purchased in the shops.

For fancy work, such as occupies many a woman during odd hours, come gay crepe de chine ribbons, with broad stripes displaying pompadour flower patterns which are useful.

Crocheted bed spreads and knitted ones are durable and fairly good-looking; but utility is their chief characteristic. They are not so very inexpensive, when one considers the amount of time and material consumed in their making.

The very prettiest cushion covers are made of large rose patterned handkerchiefs especially designed for that purpose and priced at only 9 cents each. They can also be converted into dainty kimonas, six being required for that purpose.

Cape collars of lace are very popular partly because they give the low shoulder effect so much sought after this year. Pretty collars of this kind can be made at home by uniting with fagoting strips of lace insertion. Colored silk may be used for the fancy stitching.

White silk forms a charming foundation for embroidered collar and cuff sets not too elaborate to be worn with tub gowns. It lends itself readily to drawn work, fagoting and appliques. The popular fruit design show up well against thin background, and a pretty design seen was of purple wistaria, a cluster of which ornamented the tab of a white silk turnover.

To save your dresses provide yourself with washing sleevelets to slip over your dress sleeves when you are dusting or doing other household work. The easiest pattern is just a straight piece of stuff run together and hemmed at the top and bottom into the hems run elastic. When you find how quickly the sleevelets become soiled, you will realize how much they save your gowns.

Handsome towels are a yard and a half long and many of them are made beautiful by drawn work. The handsomest among them are those made in Mexico. It is always well to mark towels, and it is a very simple thing for a clever needlewoman to accomplish. If marked with one or more letters they should be placed in the center of one end. The letters can be either outlined or embroidered. If embroidered the letters should be stuffed. Napkins should be marked in the corner.

To that person who desires to derive amusement as well as comfort from his pillows those with pictures in semi-raised effects must appeal. One such pillow, entitled "The Kiss," is of cerise colored sateen, upon the center of which are painted in contrasting colors a boy and a girl in the attitude of kissing. The boy's face is hidden in the girl's sunbonnet, which has a real ribbon tied upon it. A fringe is sewed around her little painted school-bag, while brass buttons are fastened to the boy's coat and a real patch sewed upon his trousers.

Bead weaving is easy and pleasant. Rapid progress is made and a piece can be finished in a day. The threads are cut to the proper length and requisite number, two or three for a narrow chain or eighteen or twenty for a belt. These form the warp of the article to be made. The ends are tied together and held firmly in place under a clamp in the middle of the board framework of the loom. The threads are then carried under and over the spool at one end of the loom, over two frets which are notched, each thread of the warp being carried through a separate notch, which holds it out to its proper width. The threads are finally carried over a second spool at the other end of the frame held in place by a plug. The warp is then ready for the beads. These are woven in with the needle back and forth, so many beads of each color, according to the pattern, and the design grows quickly.

WOMEN IN MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

Mayor Olney of Oakland has appealed to the women of the city to assist in building up its public institutions and to support the administration in its efforts in that direction. Incidentally he declared himself in favor of woman suffrage and followed this up, as though fearful of the consequences of his declaration, by stating that when his term has expired he would never again be a candidate for public office. He was positive, he said, that if the women would make up their minds to work for the beautification of the city it would be accomplished. The women ought to join together in the formation of a woman's city improvement club, then concentrate their efforts on some particular thing and work for it until it was accomplished. Municipal house-cleaning was, in the opinion of the Mayor, a good subject for the ladies to begin on, and suggested that each woman in the city see to it that the dooryard in front of her home was neat and clean, and that the gutter in the street was cleaned regularly. "And when the time comes," the Mayor concluded, "that these public servants become candidates for re-election, I shall be able to tell you how each officer has behaved himself, so that you may intelligently choose whom ye shall support."

It was Charles Kingsley who wrote of woman: "Let woman never be persuaded that her calling is not the lower and more earthly one of self-assertion, but the higher and divinier calling of self-sacrifice." What a glorious opportunity of self-sacrifice this Mayor of Oakland presents to the women of his city. "See to it," he says, "that the dooryard in front of your home is kept neat and clean, and that THE GUTTER IN THE STREET IS CLEANED REGULARLY." No news has reached us as to the effect of this ukase upon the fair souls of Oakland, nor have we heard of the resolutions that are probably in the making in the women's clubs of that city. Indeed, we have not heard whether this man Olney is a crusty old bachelor, or whether he has gone through the mill of matrimony and is now trying to "get even."

In any event his name will go down in history as one who appealed to the women of a great city to see to it that their gutters were kept clean.—San Jose Mercury.

AMERICANIZING OF MEXICO.

Under the influence of American capital and ideas the Mexican people, says Eugene P. Lyle Jr. in the September World's Work, are "leaping from the tenth century into the twentieth." Mexico's 13,500,000 inhabitants are "growing a thousand years in as many weeks."

Seven thousand land barons own nearly the whole territory of the republic, and the peons have been their serfs. By the side of this system of feudalism is an investment of 500,000,000 American dollars, with life and progress in its train. The peon earns 15 cents a day, and is always in debt to his patron, who holds him permanently by this obligation and transfers him along with it when he sells his estate. But the Americans have come in with their railroads, farms, smelters and vast farming operations, and have been bidding up the price of labor. They pay 75 cents, a dollar, and more. The peon pays off his debts and becomes a man. The Government offers free education to his children, from the alphabet to the highest degree, and expects soon to make schooling compulsory.

Trade with the United States increases even when general commerce declines. In 1901-2 we sold to the Mexicans about a third more than all the rest of the world combined, and bought from them four times as much as they sold to all other nations.

Mexico is held back by the uncertain value of her silver money. Trade is a gamble. Even the bootblack has to raise the price of his shine when silver goes down. Wages are the only thing that does not rise. Capital must figure on a margin of at least 20 per cent a year, and even then it often loses money.

In spite of these drawbacks American capital is pouring in. Kansas City alone has sent $50,000,000 within the past five years. Seventy per cent of all the American money invested in the country has gone into railroads. The Mexican Central alone has absorbed $159,000,000; the National, $107,500,000. Eighty per cent of all the railroad capital of Mexico is American. There are now over 11,000 miles of rails in the country, and the amount is steadily increasing.

Americans own all the important systems but three and are heavy stockholders in these. They have recently bought the National from the British and the Gulf line from the Belgians. They furnish the operating officers, the conductors and engineers and sometimes the rest of the train crews.

The old Mexican mines are being rejuvenated by American methods. Americans are improving the great ranches and developing the manufacture of cotton faster that it can be grown at home, so that some of the material has to be imported from the United States.

Americans have started factories of all kinds. They have built great irrigation dams and canals.

The Mexicans are eagerly adopting American ways. They have the American circus; they use typewriters more generally that the Parisians; they have a wireless telegraph system across the Gulf of California. And they hope that when Diaz is gone they will be able to show us that they are able, like ourselves, to elect a new President without a revolution.

TO AN OLD PLAYMATE.

Your lips, dear girl, were roses,
Your hair was ripened wheat,
The brook forgot his song to hear
The music of your feet.

Your hands were swift white butterflies,
Your eyes were wells of blue,
Oh, what a riot in my heart
Was wrought by June and you!

And now for years beneath the grass
Your heedless hands have lain,
And recollection wakes in me
A hurt that scarce is pain.
Asleep with Nature, breast to breast,
How peacefully you lie!
Above your heart the care-free flowers,
And over them—the sky.

—Frederic Lawrence Knowles, in Boston Transcript.

Go 'way, Mistuh Skeeter! Don't you sing dat song to me!
I'se hyhud about yoh doin's; you's as tough as you kin be.
You's been aroun' a-lunchin' on malaria 'an' things
Till you's est' about as danj'rs as a rattlesnake wif wings.
I didn' use to min' you when you come a-browsin' roun',
Case I know'd a slap 'ud send you tumblin' senseless to de groun',
But since I hyuhd dem white folks I's as skyart as I kin be.
Go 'way, Mistuh Skeeter! Don' you sing dat song to me!

—Washington Star.

IS HEADING THIS WAY.

"MISSOURI KID," A DESPERATE CHARACTER LOOKED FOR BY POLICE.

The police are watching for William Rudolph, alias the "Missouri Kid," murderer, safe-blower, and all-around crook. There is a reward of $1800 offered for his capture. He is supposed to be heading this way from Missouri, hoping to get out of the country on one of the sea-going vessels out of this harbor for the Asiatic Coast.

Rudolph is a desperate character. December 6th last he, with one George Collins, alias "Black Frank," robbed a bank at Union, Mo., blowing up the safe with nitro-glycerine. The thieves secured some $12,000, and in their attempt to escape Rudolph shot and killed Charles J. Schumacher, a Pinkerton detective. He was captured and lodged in the St. Louis County Prison. July 6th he made his escape while the guards were attempting to part two men who were fighting. He climbed to the upper tier of cages, thence through a hole in the roof out on an adjacent building, whence he jumped to the ground, spraining his ankle. He was pursued, but eluded the guards who were following him.

Rudolph is described as being 20 years of age, weighs 160 pounds, is 5 feet 11½ inches tall, has "chestnut black" hair and black eyes.

GOVERNMENT CAN'T REMOVE MRS. KEALY

ANNAPOLIS, Md., September 14.—Mrs. Kate C. Kealy has circumvented a plan of the Government authorities to secure peaceable possession of the house she occupies in the new grounds of the Naval Academy. Mrs. Kealy always left home at a certain hour for church and plans were made to close the gates of the grounds so she would be unable to re-enter, but she scented the danger and remained at home.

The Government does not desire to lay violent hands on a woman, yet stronger action against her will now probably have to be taken. For five days her water supply has been cut off and it seems she is ready to die in her castle to maintain her rights as she conceives them to be. She means to remain in possession until the Government pays her for the house.

In 1892 her husband died without a will. The estate was divided and a house on the lot where the present house stands was assigned to Mrs. Kealey as part of her dower.

After the estate was divided it was found that there were so many debts that some of the property had to be sold to pay them. Mrs. Kealy's home was one of the houses that was sold. John T. Mulhall bought it but was never able to secure possession.

When the property was condemned by the Government for the use of the Naval Academy, Mulhall was paid the amount awarded, but Mrs. Kealy refuses to recognize the legality of the purchase.

SUICIDE BY GAS.

NEW YORK, September 14.—Killed by gas, Mrs. Louise Ruxton, the young wife of a barrel manufacturer of Worcester, Mass., has been found in bed at No. 23 West 115th street. The windows and doors were locked and she was alone in the house. Dread of surgical operation she was about to undergo is believed to have led to her death.

Mrs. Ruxton was the daughter of Thomas G. Lombard of Chicago, formerly a resident of Georgia.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

MRS. HOWARD GIVES LUNCHEON IN HONOR OF MRS. EHMANN.

Mrs. John L. Howard gave a luncheon Friday afternoon at her home on Vernon Heights, in honor of Mrs. Edwin Ehmann (nee Collins), who is here on a short visit before leaving for her new home. The tables were decorated in scarlet carnations and crimson candelabra.

Covers were laid for Miss Florence Brown, Mrs. Robert S. Knight, Mrs. Lillian Brown Everts, Mrs. Frank Brigham, Mrs. Francis Dunwoody, Mrs. Dunning, Mrs. Frederick Hathaway, Mrs. Harrison Clay, Mrs. Harry Gordon, Mrs. John Henry Dieckmann, Mrs. Harry Adams, Mrs. W. M. Kales, Mrs. Lowndes Scott, Mrs. Edwin Ehmann, Miss Pauline Collins and Miss Jean Howard.

On Friday of next week Mrs. Howard will entertain at the third of the series of luncheons, the guest of honor to be Mrs. Lemuel S. Adams, who has just returned from a honeymoon trip.

ORIENTAL LUNCHEON.

The Oakland Club is to give an Oriental luncheon Wednesday afternoon. The decorations will be entirely Chinese and the young ladies who will serve will wear gorgeous Oriental costumes. The program will include the singing of Chinese songs by Oriental maids from the Presbyterian Mission across the bay, "A Journey to Hongkong," described by Mrs. M. L. Wakeman, and talks on phases of social life in the Orient by Mrs. Ira M. Condit and Mrs. A. P. Peck.

INITIAL COTILLION.

The initial cotillion given Friday evening in Encinal Hall, Alameda, by the students of the High School, was an important event in society circles. The hall was beautifully decorated and special music had been engaged. The patronesses were: Mrs. Edward Harvey, Mrs. George E. Plummer and Mrs. J. J. Searle. The hall was beautifully decorated and special music had been engaged. The cotillion will be held fortnightly and will continue through the winter.

Among those who attended the initial cotillion were: Misses Grace Renner, Miriam Jackson, Ella Shreve, Bess O'Connor, Charlotte D'Evelyn, Ethel Plummer, Edythe Judd, Florence Plummer, Catherine Searle, Olive Dillon, Floss James, Eleanor French, Gertrude Comfort, Hazel Gorgin, Ruth Notnagle, Lucette George, Bessie Penfield, Hazel Mount, Helen White, Charlotte Hansen, Fontaine Benton, Ethel Brown and May Bissell; Messrs. Russell Searle, Henry Hiller, Raymond Warren, Harold Keys, Miriam Swett, Norman D'Evelyn, Jessie Robinson, Sumner Holland, B. W. Teobald, Lewis Durkee, Stephen Otis, Ford Samuels, Fred Crawford, Chester Westerdahl, Chauncey Eastman, Byron Eastman, Will Everts, Raymond Perry, Frank Krinkel, Ed Allen, Fletcher Slosson, Theodore Searle, George Searle, Henry Esben, Frank O'Brien, Frank Rue, Sanford Hyams, Alfred Durney, Harold Durney, Ermand Brownell and Ed Brush.

INFORMAL DANCE.

The Rosebud Social Club gave an informal dance last Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Davis, 1620 Clinton avenue, Alameda. The dancing hall was decorated with posters, greens and tiny pink and red lights, while scattered over the lawn were brilliant Chinese lanterns with seats here and there where the guests sat during the intermission between dances. At midnight supper was served in the rooms above.

Among those present at the dance were Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Tallock Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Williams of San Francisco, Miss Muriel Steele, Edward L. G. Steele Jr., Mrs. Allan Bowen, George Welcome Lewis, Edward Mitchell Shaw, Reginald Mason of Belvedere, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence O. Flint, George Daly, Charles E. Paxton and Louis Lissak.

UNITY CLUB TO ENTERTAIN.

The Unity Club will entertain Tuesday evening in Wendte Hall. A program of clever amateur talent has been arranged and the affair promises to be a large sucess.

Two skits will be given, the first, "Wall Papers," to be enacted by Dr. Frank Hus and Miss Frances Irish, and the second, 'A Desperate Chance," to include in its program Miss Irish, Miss Georgie Cope, Miss Vera Jones, Mrs. S. A. Hawkett and Miss Winifred Warner.

In addition Miss Irish will give some monologues, and there will be musical numbers as well, the contributors, the contributors to this part of the program being Miss Margaret and Miss Bertha Knox, Miss Irish, Dr. Hus, Walter Wilson, Rufus Smith, Harry Danforth and Arthur Baker.

ENGAGEMENT.

The engagement has been annuonced of Miss Helen Backus, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Backus of Monte Vista avenue and Charles Frederick Heil of Los Angeles.

The cards are out for the wedding which will take place at the bride's home on September 22. The young people will reside in Los Angeles where the groom is engaged in business.

RUMMAGE SALE.

Tillie E. Brown, president of the Mutual Benefit Club, announces that the club will conduct a "rummage sale" on Wednesday, September 16th, in a tent on the corner of Fifth and Clay streets, where clothing of all kinds will be sold.

PERSONALS.

Mr. and Mrs. David E. Edwards have returned from a holiday trip in the vicinity of Stockton.

Mrs. Boyer and Miss Elizabeth Boyer, who have been making a two months' visit on the coast, left for the East last week.

Edward Eliassen, the attorney, is in New York City.

W. E. Barnard has returned from an extended trip throughout the southern portion of the State.

Mrs. Allan Bowen of New York City is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Darneal of Grand street, Alameda.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Williams will leave in a few days for the East. They expect to return about November 1.

Miss Emma Mahony has returned to Oakland after a visit with Mrs. Remi Chabot and daughters at their country home, Villaremi, near St. Helena.

Mrs. E. L. G. Steele, Miss Muriel Steele and E. L. G. Steele Jr. will leave shortly for San Francisco, where they will reside at 1315 Van Ness avenue until November 1.

Dr. J. A. Colgrave left last Friday for a three weeks' sojourn in Southern California.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Waldron of 513 Eighth street are spending their vacation at Tomales Beach, Marin county. Mr. Waldron has been with the training ship at Mare Island for the past four years.

W. W. Foote has returned from his second trip to the Yosemite valley this season.

Mrs. Ellen Folger, who has been spending the summer at Nantucket, has gone to Hoosac, N. Y., to spend the autumn months with her son and daughter-in-law of that place, Mr. and Mrs. Le Grande Tibbetts.

Mrs. John A. Stanley and her daughter, Mrs. Thomas B. Coghill, left on Saturday for a two weeks' stay at the Hotel Vendome, San Jose.

Mrs. J. B. Richardson has returned to Piedmont from an extended visit to Boston, New York and Chicago.

Mrs. Bacon-Soule, Douglas Soule and Miss Carrie Bacon have returned from a visit to the Yosemite valley.

Miss Alice Murphy of 1619 Fourteenth street has returned after a two months' trip in Mexico.

Mrs. J. B. Aggassir has left for a visit to Marysville to join her husband and relatives.

TEMPERANCE SOLDIERS AS YOUNG MINSTRELS.

Arrangements are now about completed for the minstrel and vaudeville show to be given by the members of Company N, First Regiment, League of the Cross Cadets, on Thursday evening, September 17, 1903, at St. Francis de Sales Hall, Twenty-first and Grove streets. Rehearsals are held nightly and a treat in minstrelsy is promised all who attend.

The affair is for the benefit of the company's booth at St. Francis de Sales fair and the members of Company N, together with the young ladies who are to assist at the company's booth, are working hard for its success. During the fair Mrs. Kelly is to have charge of the cadet table, assisted by the following young ladies: Miss Winnie Kelly, Miss Helen Jacobus, Miss Alice Gregory, Miss Lillian Kelly, Miss Margaret Curran, Miss Mary Flynn, Miss Alice Quinn, Miss Julia Weber, Miss Grace Sullivan, Miss Maggie McBrien, Miss L. MacIntyre, Miss Josie Lyons, Miss Agnes Lyons and Miss Mabel Callaghan.

The officers of the company are: H. J. Leonard, captain; James J. Gillick, First Lieutenant, and W. J. Hannigan, second lieutenant.

THE DUKE IS A HERO OF THE BOER WAR.

The Duke of Roxburghe is said to have been pitted against Viscount Crichton for Miss Goelet's favor. Both went to the war in South Africa to seek distinction beyond their title in order that their meritorious work might win her. The Duke was the successful man.

BUTTERS BUYS A BLOCK.

CANNING PROPERTY SOLD TO SOUTH AFRICAN MINER FOR $310,000.

Henry Butters, the South African mining man has been given an option in the purchase of the Canning Block at the southeast corner of Thirteenth street and Broadway. The purchase price is stated to be $300,000, two payments of which have already been made, the balance of the amount to be paid before the close of the present year, the time fixed for the formal transfer of the property. Though Mr. Butters is named as the buyer, it is thought a San Francisco man is identified with him in this deal with Mrs. Mary Canning the present owner of the property.

The greatest effort has been put forth to keep the sale a secret, and in fact the price at which the property is to change hands is known to no one save the agents who have handled the deal and the principals in the transaction. The corner is one of the most desirable in this city, and has a Broadway frontage of 100 feet, running back on Thirteenth street 150 feet. The building is a comparatively new one, every room in it has been steadily rented for a long time.

For many years the Canning interests have been looked after by W. J. Yore, but on the 1st of the present month he was displaced, and Joseph Kenney installed in his place. The transfer of the property and the change of superintendents, it is claimed, have much to do with each other. The Canning sale is the largest business deal that has been put through in this city for many years. Mrs. Canning, who is disposing of the property, is advanced in years and is a religious enthusiast. Her move is regarded as an effort to dispose of all her property prior to her death. Some years ago she donated a large sum of money to the St. Francis de Sales parish, and in fact practically furnished the money to build the parish church. Only recently she gave the parish $15,000 with which to fresco the church building.

Plans were recently made to add another story to the building, but negotiations for the sale of the property called a halt in the building plans though Butters is now figuring along the same lines, and it is expected that soon after he takes formal possession of the building the actual work of increasing the size of the structure will be commenced.

ANNIVERSARY OF M'KINLEY DEATH.

CANTON, Ohio, Sept. 14.—This, the second anniversary of the death of the late President McKinley, was not observed by another formal program in Canton. Flags were lowered on public buildings, there were some short references made in the various departments of the schools to the life and death of McKinley, and decorations were worn as a silent tribute by numerous citizens.

Mrs. McKinley this forenoon made a special trip to the McKinley vault in West Lawn Cemetery and placed floral tributes on the casket. Numerous floral pieces received from friends and strangers were also placed on the tomb. Mrs. McKinley is in good health.

BULGARIANS ROUTED BY TURKISH TROOPS

BERLIN, Sept. 14.—A dispatch to the Frankfurt Zeitung from Sofia says the Turkish troops have routed the Bulgarian troops and have driven off three squads of troops. The report is current that the Turkish soldiers at Kirk Kilissen, in Turkish territory, fired on the French consul, breaking the windows.

A party of Turks near Giohipie had with them twenty Bulgarian women and girls. Five hundred fugitive women and children have arrived at Tekendsche.

AUBURN MURDERER ELECTROCUTED

AUBURN, N. Y., Sept. 14.—Clarence Egner of Buffalo was today put to death in the electric chair for the murder of Archibald Benedict, a keeper in Auburn Prison.

STEAMER ARRIVES SAFELY.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Sept. 14.—The steamer New Orleans from Baltimore, which was reported last night to have gone ashore at Hunters' Island, arrived here today. All of the twenty passengers aboard were reported well.

IS GROWING MORE SERIOUS

BULGARIAN TROOPS TO BE MOBILIZED TO MEET TURKS.

PARIS, Sept. 14.—The Foreign Office advices from Bulgaria show that the situation is becoming more serious, owing to reports that Turkish troops are slowly nearing the border. If their advance continues there will be a general mobilization of the Bulgarian forces preparatory to meeting eventualities.

A Russo-Austrian note to the powers has been received here and is now under consideration. It sets forth that in the event of hostilities by Turkey and Bulgaria, Russian and Austria will not give their support to either of the parties, but will hold each of them to a strict accountability for their actions.

It is expected that France will adhere to the Russo-Austrian attitude.

FIRM MEASURES OBTAIN QUIET.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—The Navy Department today posted the following bulletin:

Admiral Cotton telegraphs from Beirut, 13th inst., that he had exchanged very satisfactory visits with the Governor-General. The Governor-General has personal charge of the Vice-Consul case. Twenty-eight persons, including the principals in the disturbances of last Sunday, have been arrested. Beirut quiet. Administration of new Governor-General inspiring confidence. The former Governor-General left on the 12th inst. for Constantinople.

SENTENCED FOR CRUELTY TO HORSE.

Edward Bernadon, charged with cruelty to animals, was up for sentence this morning. His attorney moved for a new trial on the ground that the verdict was not in accord with the evidence and that the court had erred in admitting testimony as to what was said the day previous to the occurrence and for not admitting the evidence of certain witnesses which was material to the case. The motion was denied and Bernadon was given $20 or ten days.

This was a case where Bernardon, who keeps a riding academy, had hired a horse with a sore back to Mrs. Ralph Stocker, who was going out on an equestrian trip with a party of friends. The animal was reported as unfit for service, and Bernadon was arrested on complaint of Fred Johns, secretary of the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

A pretty scarfpin for a man's wear is of carved ivory in the form of a dog's head.

WILLIAM R. HEARST ARRIVES

HE AND HIS BRIDE COME TO ATTEND COUSIN'S WEDDING.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 14.—Mr. and Mrs. William R. Hearst, who recently returned from Europe, have arrived in the city from New York. Social rather than business considerations prompted Mr. Hearst's visit to California at this time.

He and Mrs. Hearst cut their European tour somewhat short that they might be enabled to attend the wedding of Miss Anne Apperson, Mr. Hearst's cousin, who is to be married to Dr. Joseph Marshall Flint at the Hearst hacienda at Pleasanton tomorrow. The bride is a favorite niece of Mrs. Hearst, and she is embarking on her matrimonial voyage under the auspices of her aunt.

Another reason brought Mr. Hearst and his bride to California at this particular time. Mrs. Phoebe Hearst is soon to depart for an Oriental tour, principally to journey through Japan, China and India, and her son desired to bid her adieu and bon voyage before her departure. As Congress is soon to assemble, he could not very well defer this filial duty till a later period. Besides, he desired to attend the wedding of his cousin.

The precise date has not yet been set for Mrs. Hearst's departure for the East, but it will be very shortly. She will probably return by way of Europe, but no announcement to that effect has yet been set. Mrs. Hearst has friends in Paris and London whom she will probably visit before returning to California.

The wedding at the Hearst hacienda tomorrow will be a rather quiet affair, as Mrs. Hearst is decidedly averse to making a display of family affairs.

TO IMPROVE FRUITVALE.

The present week will see the commencement of many improvements in Fruitvale. Work will be started immediately on the construction of the new $4,500 concrete bridge over Sausal creek, at Sixteenth street. Work will also be commenced on over a mile of sidewalk, contracts for which have been entered into by the members of the Property Owners' Association. For some reason the macadamizing of Tallant street is being delayed.

MURDERER ASKS A CHANGE OF VENUE.

CYNTHIANA, Ky., Sept. 14.—In the case of Curtis Jett, indicted for the assassination of Town Marshal James Cockrill at Jackson, Kentucky, on July 21, 1902, the defense today filed an affidavit asking a continuance on account of the absence of Attorneys Black and French for the defense. Judge Osborne overruled the motion for a continuance and adjourned court until 1:30 p. m. to give the defendant's attorneys time to make the necessary affidavits for a motion for a change of venue to another county.

SOLDIERS STIR UP TROUBLE

MEMBERS OF COAST ARTILLERY ARRESTED AT SAN DIEGO.

SAN DIEGO, Sept. 14.—Three soldiers belonging to the 15th Company of Coast Artillery are under arrest for stirring up a rough house at a social gathering at Turner Hall last evening. Their names are George Matheson, Fred Wood and Samuel M. Wise and they are hustling for bail this morning.

The started a disturbance about 11 o'clock and when remonstrated with by a committee turned upon them and a general fight ensued. It took three policemen to restore peace and restore the rioters. On the way to jail Johnson made a break for liberty and got away, but was recaptured. One of the men was armed with some ugly-looking rocks and was evidently looking for serious trouble.

"CHANGE" MAN IS SENTENCED.

Charles Hill, arrested for drunk and attempting to work the change game at McMillan's store at Market and Seventh street, was given $20 or ten days this morning on the first charge, the only one backed against him as it was not deemed advisable to enter the other one. In sentencing him Judge Smith took occasion to say that the police were not satisfied with his actions since he had been in Oakland. Hill promised to leave town at once if the judge would be lenient with him, insisting that he had done nothing more serious since he came here than to become intoxicated.

A LESSON FOR CHILDREN.

A boy there was who loved to play
His jokes and show his wit.
He'd pull a person's chair a-way
As he was seated to sit.
And when that person gained his spine
He'd laugh aloud with joy
At the success of his design—
He was a funny boy.

He'd chalk upon a play-mate's back
And then talk "off" and run;
Place in his seat—ere chair a tack
And have just lots of fun.
Molasses on the baby's hair
He thought quite good.
And he would pull a-way one's chair
All—so, as I have said.

He pulled a-way a chair from me,
(He was no one of mitted
But it was strange, you will a-gree—
He did not hurt my spine.
It had not work of that way be-fore,
He did not laugh a bit.
It was, I think, a week or more
Be-fore that boy could sit.

—Chicago Tribune.

BERKELEY AND THE STATE UNIVERSITY

LIVELY TIMES ARE EXPECTED IN TWO BOARDS.

Berkeley Trustees Will Wrestle With Telephone Problem and School Directors With Tax Apportionment.

BERKELEY, Sept. 14.—It is believed that the meetings of the two municipal bodies—the Town Board of Trustees and the Board of School Directors will be unusually lively this week. Tonight the Trustees will hold their regular session, at which the proposal to deputize all the non-union linemen will be broached. The plan will be championed by President Thomas Rickard, who recently held a conference with the telephone company with the view to protecting the property of the company in this city.

The School Directors will give consideration to the cutting down of the school apportionment of the taxes at the hands of the Town Trustees. The Directors asked for 30 cents of the 75 cents taxes for the maintenance of the schools and their request was promptly cut to 25 cents. It is claimed by the seven Directors that the Trustees are outstepping all legal rights when they attempt to reduce the amount asked for, while the city fathers declare that it is up to the people to raise the taxes if more money is wanted for the schools.

An interesting clash is anticipated between the two boards, especially in view of the fact that the School Directors are considering the feasibility of employing special counsel to fight their case.

The Trustees contend that the town should be better policed and that the squad of four policemen now engaged in an effort to keep the peace of nine square miles of territory should be increased to at least double that number. The municipal board is also anxious to improve the fire fighting system, and in order to do all this hold that the people should be made to see that more money is needed for the operation of the city government, even if the illustration has to be made through the crippling of the school department.

PLAN TO RE-WARD CITY.

BERKELEY TRUSTEES MAY BE ASKED TO REDISTRICT MUNICIPALITY.

BERKELEY, Sept. 14.—An agitation has been commenced to re-ward the city, on the grounds that the representation of the city on the Board of Trustees is not equitably divided. Those who are at the head of the movement to re-district the city contend that the wards should be placed as follows: North Berkeley and Peralta Park, one ward; two wards of ward Three, and the southern end of ward One; West Berkeley, a ward; South Berkeley, a ward; and wards Two and Four divided to give Two less territory and Four more.

PERSONAL MENTION ABOUT PEOPLE OF BERKELEY.

BERKELEY, Sept. 14.—Miss Ruth Sutton has been the guest of the Sheehan girls of Sacramento at their home on Sutter Terrace.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Sherman were recent visitors at Newark.

F. L. Talbert of Niles was a recent visitor in Berkeley.

F. C. Jarvis and family of Niles are contemplating removing to Berkeley.

Russell Williams and Roy Elliott of Sacramento are spending a few days here.

Rev. H. H. Dobbins preached at both the morning and evening services of the Elmhurst Presbyterian Church yesterday.

Professor Raymond Keith of the University of California has been a recent guest of friends in Sacramento.

Mrs. George Elden Colby and children have returned from a sojourn at Applegate.

Mrs. Edward Cutter, formerly of Fresno, who has been at Seabright for three months, has arrived in Berkeley, which will hereafter be her home.

William E. Squires has been appointed assistant cashier of the First National Bank.

Mrs. J. L. Story of Portland, Oregon, and Mrs. John Pinkerton of Los Angeles are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clark.

Mrs. S. J. Sill is convalescent after her recent illness.

Miss May Lemon has returned to Bakersfield to resume her duties in the schools there, after a visit with friends in this city.

Hubert Keon, who graduated last year from the University of California, has accepted a position in the Peyton Chemical Works at Martinez.

Miss Alice MacAllister has obtained a position as school teacher at Eugene, Stanislaus county.

G. V. Parsons of the class of 1901 of the University, who has been teaching in the Islands, is now in Manila.

REORGANIZE GUN CLUB.

BUSINESS MEN OF BERKELEY ACQUIRE A PRESERVE NEAR GIANT STATION.

BERKELEY, Sept. 14.—The Rosa Gun Club, composed of business and professional men of this city, has disbanded and in its stead has been organized the Giant Gun Club. A large preserve, affording excellent duck hunting, has been secured along the bay skirting Giant. Included on the grounds of the preserve are also a number of ponds.

At a meeting of the club held last Saturday evening at the residence of Postmaster George Schmidt on University avenue, the following officers were elected:

President, George Schmidt; secretary and treasurer, C. A. Blanc.

In anticipation of the season, which opens October 15, the members of the club have let contracts for the erection of a substantial club house on the grounds of the preserve. Among those who have signed the club-roll are: George Schmidt, C. A. Blank, Guy Hyde Chick, W. C. Mason, C. L. Huggins, Dr. J. A. D. Hutton, James Landregan and Charles Fischel.

TEXAS MINES TO START.

THURBER, Tex., September 14.—It is reported, though unofficially, that the Texas and Pacific Coal Company will start work in Mine No. 9 today, affording protection to those of the miners who have declared a willingness to remain and who have indicated that they want protection. At a mass meeting, National Organizer Warljon of the United Mine Workers, said he had been informed that the coal company was trying to organize the Mexicans to operate Mine No. 9 and he appeals to the Mexicans to remain true to the union.

Payment of the men continues at the company's offices. The exodus from Thurber has begun. Wagons containing household effects do the road to the mining camps at Mineral City and Strawn. Two hundred Italians will return to their native land within the next two or three days. Some of them had worked in the mines for more than ten years.

The United Mine Workers have sent food supplies to Thurber for the men who need them.

All of the miners' meetings with the officers of the United Mine Workers are held outside of Thurber and off company property. The men are staying away from saloons and there is an entire absence of disorder.

TRY OUT THE NEW RULES.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA FOOTBALL SQUAD TESTS THIS SEASON'S REGULATIONS.

BERKELEY, Sept. 14.—For the first time this season the new football rules were tested this afternoon by the University of California football squad. The 'Varsity lined up against the second eleven and two lively halves were played. There was a large crowd out on the bleachers and the rooters were out in force.

The candidates for the Freshman football team were put through their paces, the work being the nature of a try-out preparatory to the narrowing down of the squad to the eleven which will meet the Stanford babies.

The first games of the season will be played next Saturday, when the Freshmen will line up against Berkeley High in the morning and the Reliance team against the 'Varsity in the afternoon.

FORMER NEWSPAPERMAN TO TEACH AT HARVARD.

BERKELEY, Sept. 14.—Charles Edmund Fryer, a graduate of the University of California who has spent the last two years in study at Harvard, will return to Cambridge this week to accept a position in the history department. A large portion of his time outside the class room will be devoted to the writing of a Russian history, which has already been ordered by a Philadelphia publishing house.

Fryer collected the material for the book during recent travels through Russia and Siberia. While in college Fryer earned a splendid reputation as a newspaperman, debater and student. He is the son of Professor Pohn Fryer, Agassiz professor of the Oriental languages and literatures in the University of California.

WOMAN PROBALLY MURDERED.

WILKES BARRE, Pa., Sept. 14.—Mrs. Austin Flynn of this city sailed from England August 12th with a fortune of several thousand dollars left her by relatives. She landed in New York August 10th and since then her family here has heard nothing from her.

They believe she confided to some one on the ship the fact that she had a large sum of money, and that she was robbed and murdered after she landed. A fruitless search has been made in New York for the woman and the matter has been placed in the hands of the police.

SILVER TROPHY IS OFFERED COLLEGE DEBATERS.

M. J. Keller of Oakland Gives a Cup to the Student's Congress and the Senate.

BERKELEY, Sept. 14.—To stimulate interest in debating at the University of California, M. J. Keller, the Oakland clothier, has offered a silver trophy cup as the prize of the yearly contest between the Senate and the Students' Congress, inaugurated for the first time this year. According to the terms on which the cup is awarded it will be given to the organization winning two out of three debates. The forensic contests will be held during the first term of each college year.

Committees from both organizations have been appointed and the arrangements for the debate will be made as soon as possible.

Heretofore it has been found difficult to carry out a yearly contest between these two societies, but now that Mr. Keller has provided the necessary incentive it is believed that the debates will be fixed features of the college year.

SEATTLE POLICEMAN SHOT BY A ROBBER.

SEATTLE, Wash., September 14.—Patrolman Albert Schaneman, of the local police force was shot and killed at midnight by William S. Thomas, one of the three men who held up the Villiard bar Saturday night. Thomas and a companion had been recognized by Schaneman on his beat as answering the description of the highwaymen and he called on them to halt. They took to flight and Thomas dodging into a dark doorway, escaping sight of the policeman. As Schaneman passed pursuing the other man, Thomas fired, the bullet going into the side of the policeman's head. Other officers, attracted by the shots, hastened up and Thomas was brought down with a bullet in his back by Detective Philbrick. The other men escaped. Schaneman never regained consciousness and died a few minutes after being taken to Police headquarters. Thomas does not appear seriously hurt. Schaneman has been on the force since 1897 and was a popular and fearless officer. He leaves a wife and one child.

Small walnut-shaped trinkets to hang on the modish long chains disclose a multitude of uses, for some are intended for holding coins, others contain a tiny mirror and a small powder puff, while yet another contains a mirror and a few pins to be used in case of necessity.

COLLEGE POLITICS LIVELY.

MANY CANDIDATES HAVE APPEARED FOR THE VARIOUS OFFICES.

BERKELEY, Sept. 14.—Politics are now among the classmen at the University. The fights for Freshmen and Sophomore class offices continue as briskly as when they were begun, except in the case of the presidency, where there is no contest.

The other nominees for office are: For first vice-president, Miss Busser; second vice-president, Miss Helen Parker; secretary, W. E. Burnes; treasurer, J. W. Armstrong; sergeant-at-arms, Aldrich Barton and R. H. Elliot; auditing committee—W. W. Boardman, A. J. Coogan and Miss Mabel Hansen.

Claude Kern has withdrawn from the race for the presidency of the Freshman class. The other candidates are Booth, Dyer and Rankin.

If every sound were music
And naught but flowers grew,
How we would long for common talk
And plain potatoes, too.
—Washington Star.

DIES FROM SHORT ILLNESS.

INQUEST WILL BE HELD OVER REMAINS OF REV. A. B. ORGREN.

BERKELEY, Sept. 14.—After an illness lasting but an hour, Rev. August Bernard Orgren, a retired Swedish Baptist Minister, died suddenly at his home, 1521 Manoa avenue, last Saturday night, under circumstances that will necessitate the holding of a Coroner's inquest. Just before retiring he took a bath and later complained of pains in the stomach. Losing consciousness he soon passed away. Dr. H. N. Miner and Dr. T. J. Clark were called, but when they arrived the Rev. Orgren had passed away.

Rev. Orgren was born in Sweden sixty-two years ago. He came to the United States in 1869 and, after being graduated from the Morgan Park Theological Seminary of Illinois, engaged in home missionary work. He came to California in 1887 and has spent a busy career, building up no less than three churches in different parts of the State, and retiring only two years ago. The first four years of his California ministry were spent in Chino, the succeeding six in San Diego and the final three in San Jose. He moved to Berkeley two years ago to give his four children the educational advantages of the town. These are Ruth, Rhoda, Eleanor and Paul, who, with their mother, survive the deceased.

Little 5-year old Nellie's parents were of the migratory sort, having moved four times within a year; so one day when her mother was unable to find the carpet sweeper Nellie said reassuringly:

"Don't bother about it, mamma; we will find it the next time we move."

HAYWARDS, SAN LEANDRO, EMERYVILLE, FRUITVALE, GOLDEN GATE

GAVE AN OYSTER SUPPER.

HAYWARDS GENTLEMEN ARE ENTERTAINED WITH AN UNIQUE BANQUET.

HAYWARDS, September 14.—M. K. Kerwin, of San Leandro, formerly a resident of Haywards and a member of the Democratic State Central Committee, entertained several of his friends with an oyster supper at the Villa Hotel on Castro street. There were oysters in every style and a toast for every one. The following was the menu:

Oyster cocktails, spicy Town Attorney Langan; raw oysters (work), "Doc" Powell; half (shell game), the hatchet man; stew, Irish, "Andy" Dean" roasted, French fashion, "Parle vous Francais" Lagrave; fried, sanitary, "Harry" Brunner; barbecued blue points, a la "Blue Dick;" plain ordinary, mogul; industry, Ye Scribe.

Those present were Dr. A. J. Dean, Dr. Powell, G. S. Langan, Henry E. Brunner, Victor Lagrave, R. Reid, Charles Prowse and George Oakes.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Louis Borman to Jose and Rose Serpa—Six acres Eden Township, Grant.

Loui Christensen to George Moldt—Seven and a half acres near Hayward. $10.

J. B. and Elizabeth Mendonca to P. J. Holland—1,685 acres near San Leandro. $10.

Frank Garcia et al., by J. B. Lanktree, commissioner, to Theodore H. B. Varney et al., trustees estate of Thomas Varney—Property Eden Township. $44,000.

Mary Knox to Aut S. Duarte—Five acres near San Leandro. $10.

APPOINTED RECEIVER.

George W. Fisher, of the Puget Sound Lumber Company, has been appointed receiver in the William Roberts bankrupt affair, and all accounts have been turned over to the Bank of Haywards for collection.

LAND AUCTION.

On Monday, September 21, there will be an auction sale of personal property belonging to the Silver Brothers on the Tassajara road, six miles northeast of Pleasanton. L. C. Caten is auctioneer.

PERSONAL.

Miss Annie Gray visited with Miss Georgia Hickmott in Ross Valley last week.

Mrs. George Harding and children of Suisun, Solano county, are visiting relatives in this place.

Fred Starr returned from a week's vacation in Watsonville and vicinity.

Mrs. James Gray has returned from Lake county.

Lou Pimentel has been visiting relatives in Haywards.

Albert Switer of Fort Bragg was in Hayward last Friday.

Joe Gibson returned Wednesday from a two days' visit in Watsonville.

Julius Merzback returned Sunday from a brief vacation trip through Lake county.

Frank Wyms, who formerly conducted the Hayward Express, was in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Ryan of Sacramento last Tuesday visited Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tyler, who occupy one of the Hayward Hotel cottages. Mr. Tyler is assistant librarian of the law library of San Francisco.

Rev. and Mrs. Priddy are at Pacific Grove, where the annual conference of the Methodist Church is in session.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schmauch and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rose left yesterday morning for a week's vacation in Niles canyon.

John Walpert and daughter, Miss Clara, returned from their visit to Germany last week. They were away several months, most of the time being spent in Mr. Walpert's old home in Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hollenq returned last week from an extensive wedding journey through California.

Mesdames Bradford, Buchau and Van Dyke left last week for Pacific Grove, where they will spend a short vacation.

Mrs. George Scrilling and daughter have left for Europe. They will visit the old home in Germany, and also take in the many points of interest on the continent. They will be gone about a year.

J. F. Bidwell, of the Hauschildt-Potter Music Company, has returned from a six weeks' trip to the towns along the North Shore Railroad. He reports that business in pianos was very good.

"Do figures ever lie?" he asked,
As he looked out to sea.
"Some may—but mines does not, she said,
Then blushed delightfully.
—Cincinnati Triune.

ORGANIZED BALL TEAM.

BOYS OF LOWER FRUITVALE AVENUE FORM A NINE.

FRUITVALE, Sept. 14.—The boys of the grammar school on Lower Fruitvale avenue have organized a baseball team that promises to win from ever other organization in its class in this vicinity. The first game they played with the strong Twenty-third avenue nine, they beat, 9 to 6, and this with but a few days' practice, the players hardly knowing each other. The boys have got neat blue and white caps and expect son to have suits. Principal Paul Martin, of the school, is the manager. A captain has not yet been selected. A challenge has been received from an Oakland team that will probably be accepted and the game played next Saturday.

The team is composed as follows: Walter Bell, pitcher; Letcher Albright, short stop; Robert Todd, third base; Albert Plomteaux, first base; Tom Carroll, left field; Harry Bundy, second base; Edward Haman, right field; Harry Constable, outer field; Lloyd Albright, catcher.

WHEELMEN INJURED.

Horace Bull, of East Oakland, a messenger for a Thirteenth avenue express company, was painfully injured while riding his wheel on Fruitvale avenue Friday evening.

He was riding along on his bicycle when he met a horse and buggy. The driver was about to turn out to let the wheelman pass, when the rein suddenly broke and the horse and bicyclist collided with great force.

The young man was taken into the office of Dr. John H. Callen near by, where it was found his hand had been badly injured. The doctor was obliged to take seventeen stitches in it.

IMPROVEMENT CLUB TONIGHT.

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the Fruitvale Improvement Club will be held this evening at the corner of East Fourteenth and Tevis streets.

PERSONAL.

R. Lightner, of Marsfield, Ore., is visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. T. Harriman of Fruitvale.

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GIVES A GARDEN PARTY.

ENJOYABLE AFTERNOON AFFAIR TAKES PLACE AT SAN LEANDRO.

SAN LEANDRO, Sept. 14.—A very pleasant garden party was given by Mrs. Dyer on Saturday afternoon in honor of Miss Mabel Dickinson. In the word-building contest Miss May Tormey won first prize, Miss Ethel Saunders second prize, Miss Ronie Tormey third prize, and Miss Mabel Dickinson fourth prize. Among those present were the following: Misses Helen Morehouse, May Tormey, Ronie Tormey, Ruth Ury, Olga Christensen, Edna Larsen, Gladys McPherson, Gladys Harlan, Dorothy Saunders, Ethel Saunders, Edna Peters, Mabel Furtado, Alice Bradley, Mabel Dickinson, Harvey Christensen.

HAYES PLACE SOLD.

The property of the late George Hayes who was killed while riding in the Golden Gate Park has been sold. It consists of thirty acres near the San Lorenzo station. The Rose Brothers of the Junction are purchasers.

BASKET PARTY.

Golden Wave Chapter, O. E. S., has appointed a committee to arrange for a basket party for Friday evening, October 2.

IMPORTANT PROPERTY SALE.

Hercules Morin has sold his property on Davis street to Mrs. Ella Tanson. The property was purchased in 1861 by Mr. F. D. Morin, his father, who conducted a business there until he engaged in fruit raising. Some years ago Mr. Morin built a two story building adjoining the old place. It is a modern building, the lower portion of which can be used for business purposes and the upper for residence. Mrs. Tanson will open a store on the lower floor.

PURCHASED ROSE FRUIT STORE.

Frank Rogers has purchased the fruit and vegetable business of William Rose, which has been located in the Herrscher block. Mr. Rogers is well known in this city and will undoubtedly make a success of his new venture.

APPRAISED ESTATE.

A. B. Cary, Joseph Herrscher and D. McCarthy, appraisers of the estate of A. J. Gooch, deceased, have filed their appraisement. They value the property at $49,924.43.

PERSONAL.

Joe Bernard, who has been in the employ of E. B. Stone for some years left Saturday on a trip to the Azores.

Manuel Branco has sold his property in the Ward tract to Maria Reposa. Mr. Branco will remove to Oakland.

Miss E. Hoerner, of San Francisco, has taken charge of the millinery department in J. A. Holmgren's store.

Nick Hock has been visiting his old friend John Behrman. He has a position in a San Francisco wholesale wine house.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Hayward, who have been the guests of Mrs. DeMont for some weeks left for their home in Conneaut, Ohio, last week.

Miss Belle Roberts has gone on a visit to Watsonville.

Mrs. Peachy and Miss A. Peachy have gone to Byron Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Tenney left on Saturday night for Rockford, Ill.

Mrs. Mattoon of San Francisco was visiting friends here on Thursday.

Police Judge R. R. Raish, of Marysville, is visiting his brother-in-law W. F. Cunningham.

Manuel Enos, of San Pablo and Antone Lucio of this city, have gone to Bartlett Springs.

James Corse of Racine, Wis., recently visited Mrs. George Downie and John Driver.

John Goncalves has moved with his family into the Bonestell cottage.

P. J. Holland is having his residence on Callen avenue connected with the gas main.

ELECTRICITY TO BE USED.

JUDSON WORKS AT EMERYVILLE WILL DISCARD USE OF STEAM.

EMERYVILLE, Sept. 14.—A three phase electric service will soon supply the motive power at the Judson Iron Works instead of steam power. Work was begun Saturday in connecting wires from the Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company's plant at Firs and Grove streets in Oakland, with the Judson plant.

The management of the local company has decided that on the whole electricity will prove cleaner, more economical and desirable than steam. Over eight tons of copper wire will be required to carry the "juice," as the distance is about four miles.

TRUSTEES TO MEET.

The Board of Trustees will hold a meeting this evening but nothing is expected to come up of any general interest.

AT THE TRACK.

Activity at the track is renewed now that the Golden Gate meet is at hand. As already stated the meeting will begin September 19, and will conclude September 26. There will be five events each day.

A SHORT OUTING.

E. H. Morris and his friends, Louis De Nult and J. Dolan, who recently arrived from the Philippines, took a sight seeing trip to the city and beach Saturday.

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COMMENCED WORK ON ROAD.

COUNTY ROAD NEAR ELMHURST IS NOW BEING MACADAMIZED.

ELMHURST, September 14.—Work was commenced today scraping the county road west of here preparatory to macadamizing it like the rest of the highway between Oakland and Haywards. The stone has most all been brought from the quarries, and the culvert iron laid along the roadside at the crossings. County Surveyor E. C. Prather had a gang at work last week setting stakes to guide the workmen. The work is being done by the E. B. & A. L. Stone Company, who were awarded the contract by the Board of Supervisors.

The improvement will extend for a distance of 2,541 feet, which includes the last stretch of unimproved road between Fruitvale and Haywards on the main thoroughfare. With the completion of this work Alameda county will possess one of the finest drives in the State. The road is twelve miles in length, macadamized and supplied with a drainage system that cannot be excelled in any section of California.

IMPROVEMENT CLUB THURSDAY.

An important meeting of the Elmhurst Improvement Club will be held next Thursday evening, September 17, at which time the petition requesting the Supervisors to improve Jones avenue will be presented. The committee appointed at the first meeting of the club to ascertain the cost of maintaining a number of fire hydrants in the central part of town, will be prepared to make a report at the next meeting. Other matters of importance to the residents of Elmhurst will come up during the evening.

PROPERTY SOLD.

N. Emig has sold his property on Fifth avenue to Mrs. A. Ferral. It includes a house and lot.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

J. Correa to Emilia Alexander—Southwest corner of Alvarado and Williams street. $945.

M. Richards to N. Stewart—Portion of block 8, Hayward. $10.

L. Nelson to same—All interest in same. $10.

H. Morris to A. Endicott—Lot 14, block 28, Warner Tract. $10.

P. Hoare to J. Silva—Portion block 46, Petersen's Tract, Hayward. $10.

T. Packham to B. Alexander—Portion block 26, Warner Tract. $10.

ATTENDED THE DANCE.

A number of the local residents went to San Leandro Saturday evening to attend the dance given by the ladies of Flor da Uniao, S. P. R. S. I.

FORESTERS' SOCIAL.

The local lodge of Foresters is to be entertained by the Companions of the Forest at the meeting of the latter on next Wednesday evening. There will be an informal musical and literary program, after which refreshments will be served.

PERSONAL.

Frank Williams has returned from Fresno.

Tracy Storer was in Oakland Saturday.

There was a man from Mont.,
Who slipped on a peel of ban.,
He fell on his head
And what he then said
Was quite the reverse of "Hos."
—Columbia Jester.

MINORS' LAW IS REGULATED.

BOYS NOT ALLOWED TO VISIT SALOONS—WINE MEN MANEUVER.

LIVERMORE, September 14.—At the last meeting of the Board of Town Trustees an ordinance was adopted regulating the age of minors visiting saloons. Any saloon keeper hereafter allowing any person under the age of 18 to enter or remain in his place of business or selling liquor to the same will forfeit his license and also be guilty of misdemeanor and subject to a heavy fine.

Bids for the town printing were secured from the Livermore Herald and the Echo and were taken under advisement.

GRAND BALL.

The members of Young Ladies' Institute 2044 have made a success of all their social affairs in the past, but they scored the greatest triumph of their existence at their last grand ball. Armory Hall was crowded to the doors, there being over 100 couples in the grand march, which was led by Miss Winnie Gallagher and Mr. W. C. Mulqueeney. The hall was very prettily decorated. Streamers of white and blue, the Institute colors, were draped from the ceiling and walls. Flags and evergreens were very artistically employed in the scheme of decoration. The music was furnished by the Livermore Orchestra, and was very satisfactory. Miss Winnie Gallagher acted as floor manager, assisted by Miss May Cardosa and Kate Sweeney. The reception committee was composed of Mrs. Mulqueeney, Miss Emma Grace and Margaret Callaghan. The committee on arrangements were Miss Kate McKearny, Mrs. M. G. Callaghan and Miss Annie Gallagher.

PRICES OF GRAPES.

There has been considerable maneuvering amongst the winery men for the last few days and more or less anxiety displayed by the growers. There has as yet been no price fixed on the season's crop, which is fast ripening, so fast that picking will commence in some vineyards by next Monday. While it has not been heralded by any blaze of trumpets, yet it is an understood matter that the winery men have been together and arranged a price. They started out by offering eight and nine dollars per ton and the uniformity of the offer caused the growers to suspect that a scheme was being worked on them, the prices prevailing elsewhere being from fifteen to twenty dollars. A good deal of sparring has been indulged in, but as yet no grapes have been sold. The vineyard men are entirely independent and will hold out or ship their grapes elsewhere, but the necessity for such action will not arise. A representative of one of the largest wineries in the valley said to a TRIBUNE reporter that in his opinion the price of grapes would range from $15 to $18 per ton when the market would open. Considering that last year's price was $20 to $25 and with no decline in the price of wine it is putting it very mildly to say that the growers were surprised at the offers of the last few days. Last year the California Wine Association offered the vineyard men a five years' contract for all the grapes they would produce in that time at a standing price of $20 per ton. Only a few availed themselves of the offer, and now they are the envy of their less fortunate neighbors.

DIDN'T FORGET FRIENDS.

In the hour of his greatest triumph on the turf, Millard Sanders did not forget his Livermore friends. He sent to Joseph Wilkenson a copy of the Cleveland Press, which gave a detailed account of Lou Dillon's wonderful performance.

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MANY ATTEND THE FAIR.

MANY VALUABLE PRIZES BEING OFFERED BY CHURCH AT GOLDEN GATE.

GOLDEN GATE, September 14.—St. Columba's Church Fair is now in full running order. Saturday evening an excellent musical program was rendered throughout the evening from the small stage erected for that purpose. It is expected that large crowds will attend every night this week. Several valuable prizes have been offered in the games of chance among them being a sewing machine, a bicycle and a dinner-service.

Miss Fine has returned from Sacramento where she has been taking in the State Fair.

RETURNS FROM REDWOODS.

H. M. Kolvert, who left last July for a bicycle trip to the redwoods has returned from his interesting outing.

SEEMED TO TAKE.

The special invitations gotten up by the Baptist church as an inducement to attend the Sunday service were well received and succeeded in attracting a large crowd. It was an innovation in this line.

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TO SELL BLAIR PROPERTY.

An agreement dated February 6, 1902, Florence Ethel Blair and Frank C. Havens, whereby the former's portion of the Walter Blair ranch at Piedmont was arranged to pass into the possession of the Realty Syndicate, was placed on record today in the County Recorder's office. Florence Ethel Blair was one of two daughters of Walter Blair, who was one of the principal promoters of the first cable street railways between this city and Piedmont. Blair became involved and lost considerable of his fortune before he died. He left much valuable land, however, some of it mortgaged. Florence Ethel Blair inherited a part of this land, which is situated in the Pleasant Valley district of the Piedmont foothills. It is this tract that Frank C. Havens agreed to purchase in February of last year as agent of the Realty Syndicate.

TO APPEAR AS "IRAS"

Annie Irish has the leading role in Klaw and Erlanger's big production, which will be presented at the reconstructed New York Theater in New York shortly, on a scale of unprecedented magnificence.

DIVINE FAVORS ATHLETICS.

REV. CHARLES R. BROWN DISCOURSES ON BENEFITS OF EXERCISE.

The second of a series of lectures to students by Rev. Charles R. Brown was delivered last evening at the First Congregational Church. The subject was: "The Matter of Athletics." Mr. Brown said in part:

"I am a firm believer in wholesome athletics where they are not tacked on from the outside as a mere frill, but are a genuine expression of college spirit. Rightly used they aid in keeping the tools sharp, in developing a full stock of vital force, and in giving the poise, self-mastery and endurance needed for the work of life. The boy who has not learned to play with zest will not do the work of a man with the full sense of joy in it.

"Athletics serve as a useful outlet for the surplus physical energy of the boys. There is in every healthy young fellow the throbbing of an exuberant physical life, excitable and not yet under good control; there is the consciousness of new and strange powers; there is the strong push of impulse not regulated by experience or conscience, and unless there is some appropriate outlet for all this he is apt to burst the levee and devastate whole fields of his own nature, if not also the natures of others. Athletics form a good channel in which this surplus vitality may safely flow.

"They serve also as a check upon vicious habits. Training means early hours, clean habits, and the constant occupation of mind and body, for the man must be a student all the while, as well as a quarter-back. The sowing of wild oats is precluded, and wild oats are always a mean, cruel, contemptible crop. No man who has sense and conscience enough to be allowed to run at large ever looks himself in the face and feels comfortable over his crop of wild oats. The young fellow who thinks he is not experienced until he has become familiar with the haunts of harlots and gamblers is the biggest kind of a fool. He sometimes calls such escapades 'seeing life.' That is death, and a very rotten and ill-smelling form of death. The whole spirit of college life tends to stamp such conduct as base and mean, and the rigorous demands of athletics stand as a safeguard against it.

"The college sports also serve as a means of wholesome recreation. The mind that is bent and strained all the time with serious employment loses its spring, and some times loses its sanity. The relaxation of honest fun, the excitement of clean sport, and the self-forgetfulness that comes in the competitive exercise of one's physical powers are demanded for health and peace.

"There comes also a genuine discipline in obedience, self-control and co-operation. Many a rich man's son gets his first taste of rigid discipline on the athletic field. He is compelled to take hard knocks and not lose his temper nor his head. He learns the value of team work and finds that he cannot be the 'whole thing.' He must study how to join on his yarn with other yarn and taking his own color in the pattern, subordinate his personal preference to the larger considerations of the general good. He will be a more useful member of society and a more serviceable citizen if he has caught the spirit of true athletics.

"Athletics are also useful in expressing and developing college spirit. The sense of joy in one's own college, the generous pride and enthusiasm over victories won by other men, the knitting together of the student body, in playing the games, in paying the dues, in doing the cheering and in maintaining the high standards of sport that must go with college athletics to save them from professionalism, all develop a useful college spirit. I know this spirit does not pay term bills or master lectures or write examination papers, but it helps do every one of those things. The fife and drum and flag do not cripple or kill the enemy nor throw up breastworks, but they help in doing all that has to be done. Wholesome, vigorous and abundant spirit is in itself an educational force that cannot be left out of the account.

"But all these exercises and sports are only valuable as they are built into some finer purpose. Bodily exercise is profitable for a little, but godliness, or godlikeness, is profitable for all things. The living of a full, round, holy and useful life, which is the Saxon way of spelling 'godliness,' includes the maintenance of a sound physical basis for the total life. And the regarding of all functions as sacred and the employment of them in ways to honor God and serve men will demand entire consecration to ideals nothing less than Christian. The race to be run is one that demands the laying aside of all useless weights, of all besetting and weakening sins, and the constant looking for help to Jseus Christ, the author and finisher of our faith."

FUNERAL OF DR. BLOOD.

The funeral of Dr. Warren H. Blood, who died Saturday at his home, 1364 Eighth street, of pneumonia, will be held Tuesday under the auspices of Alcatraz Lodge of Masons.

WILL BURNETIZE PILES.

DESTRUCTION OF EASTERN CREOSOTE PLANT CAUSES CHANGES HERE.

Owing to the destruction by fire of one of the Atlantic branches of the Southern Pacific creosote works the Pacific branch will discontinue their manufacture of creosote and install burnetizing apparatus. The creosote is used on all piles intended for land purposes to prevent decay, while the marine piles are burnetized to preserve them from the attacks of the teredo. F. D. Beals is foreman of the local branch of creosote works, which is located at the foot of Peralta street.

PAINFUL INJURIES RECEIVED DURING THE DAY'S WORK.

Tom Tompkins, boiler maker, had the toes on his right foot badly smashed Saturday while driving rivets. Tom's helper was holding a dolly bar, weighing about forty pounds, and unfortunately let it fall on Tom's feet. It acquired enough force in its four foot fall to almost completely sever the unfortunate man's toes.

George Latham hurt his right leg below the knee Saturday in a somewhat similar manner. While taking down the wedges from engine 1214 he let one drop with the above result.

MORE STEAM POWER TO BE ADDED TO THE YARDS.

The old steam engine boiler which has been supplying power for the band saw will be replaced soon by a new boiler and engine. A gang of men is at present at work making the boiler and the running gear will be taken out of a pile driver which is no longer in use. The old engine will be used for hoisting alone.

NEWSY NOTES PICKED UP IN VARIOUS QUARTERS.

N. A. Campbell, representing the New York air-brake house, paid a visit to the air room yesterday on business with Foreman Crocker.

Billy Newsome has found it necessary to give up his place in the air pump room, as the heat proved too much for him. Bill Boland will take charge in the air room and Newsome will resume his old place at the boilers.

Foreman J. L. Barnes got back to work Saturday after a pleasant week spent at Orland.

A huge marine shovel belonging to E. B. & A. L. Stone Co., contractors, is being overhauled in the blacksmith shop at Marine Fire No. 1.

Jim Garrish, who was formerly general foreman at Sacramento shops, paid a visit to the shop yesterday to visit his old friends. Jim is a Bohemian of the old type. He is running a steam schooner just now between the city and coast points.

J. Biven has been transferred to the round house. He is at present working on engine 1218.

W. J. Lancaster is still on his honeymoon in Southern California. He will be back the twenty-first of the month.

The big wheel shaft for the Modoc was put on two pontoons Saturday and towed over to the city by the tug "Rival." The big shaft weighs several tons and the work of putting it in will require several days.

Max Stapp has left for Humboldt, where he will spend several weeks.

Bob Katharina will take a ten days' rest in Lake county.

Jimmy Ready has returned from a short trip to Redwood City.

Tom Gassey sprained his right thumb Saturday afternoon while working in the air room.

Engine 3019 is in the shop for running repairs.

Freight engine 2064 made a successful trial trip Saturday on the trestle.

REBELS CAN COLLECT INSURANCE.

NEW YORK, September 14.—The Cape Colony Supreme Court has decided, says a Times dispatch from Cape Town, that death while engaged in fighting the King's troops does not invalidate the rebel's life insurance policy.

SALOON IN Y. M. C. A. ROOM.

NEW YORK, September 14.—The police have raided a so-called Italian Young Men's Christian Association which has been making display of zeal, says a Times dispatch from Stamford, Conn. They found in the back room a full-fledged saloon. The place was being conducted by an Italian preacher who recently attained notoriety by transferring his entire flock from the Baptist to the Congregational Church because he was opposed to immersion.

WERE ALLOWED TO MARRY.

COUPLE ONCE REFUSED LICENSE APPEARS WITH MOTHER'S CONSENT.

Cornelius R. Sweeney and Frances C. Otis were married this morning at the County Clerk's office. Sweeney, with his would-be bride, landed in the office a few days ago just behind an irate papa who had told the clerk not to issue a license to them as his daughter was not of age. At that time he said the girl was 18 years of age and then the statement of her father was shown to him and he went away without his licenee. He, however, said that he could get the consent of the mother to the union, and told the clerk that he would be back.

He was as good as his word this morning and, with some friends, they again appeared and asked for a license. It was a different clerk on the desk and the pair were not recognized. Sweeney swore that his bride was of age and had already been given his license when Clerk Hanley saw Sweeney and called attention to the instructions of the father still hanging to the wall. The license was taken back and he then produced the following statement from the girl's mother:

"San Francisco, Sept. 11, 1903.

"Dear Sir: This is to certify that I give my consent to the marriage of my daughter, Frances C. Otis, to C. R. Sweeney. "MRS. J. OTIS."

"MRS. J. OTIS."

A new license was made out with the proper age of the girl inserted and Sweeney reminded that his first oath could have occasioned him much trouble.

ITALIANS CHARGED WITH BLACKMAIL.

NEW YORK, September 14.—Four Italians have been held in bonds of $2000 each charged with blackmailing Nicola Cappiello, a wealthy Brooklyn contractor, out of $1000.

For several weeks Cappiello's family have been in dread of sudden death because of letters received by the contractor signed "Black Hand" threatening the destruction of their residence by dynamite. Large sums were demanded for immunity and finally Cappiello paid over $1000. More threats soon followed and the demands of the conspirators were redoubled. The members of the household feared to venture out of doors and in despair they appealed to the police.

The gang was exposed by a man, who, several years ago, eloped with the rich man's adopted daughter and who now hopes to secure the forgiveness of his father-in-law. According to the police many rich Italians of Brooklyn have been mulcted of large sums in a similar manner.

BOY DISAPPEARS FROM HIS HOME.

Mrs. D. D. Banta of 1571 Broadway reported to the police last night that her 12-year-old son was missing and asked the department to assist her in tracing him. He left home yesterday noon for school with a note from his mother to his teacher, Mr. Garlick of the Lincoln School, and has not been seen since, although the parents have been brought an unverified rumor that he was in a rowboat off the foot of Broadway about 4 o'clock. Mrs. Banta believes that he met some boys, who persuaded him to take a trip with them and that he wandered so far away that he was not able to get back last night, but she scouts the idea of his having run away and confidently expects to see him at home tonight, although she confesses to some anxiety over his continued absence. When he left home the boy wore a heavy, rough blue suit with rounded sack coat and dark blue cap. As stated, he is 12 years old, and large and well formed, and as his home is a pleasant one and his affection for his parents strong, there is no good reason for his absence except the one above given, or that he may have met with an accident.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued by the County Clerk today: Charles W. Reed, 28, Mary Knudson, both of Oakland, 28; Cornelius R. Sweeney, over 21, Frances C. Otis, both of San Francisco, 17; Lawrence Cohen, 21, Birdie Cohen, both of Berkeley, 18; Manuel S. Sousa, 23, Agida V. Silva, both of San Leandro, 20.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Mary A. Mann, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Mary A. Mann, deceased, and for the issuance to Seth Mann of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Friday, the 25th day of September, A. D. 1903, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, Sept. 11, 1903.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.

SETH MANN, in Pro Per, 926 Magnolia street, Oakland, Cal.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the twenty-eighth annual meeting of the stockholders of the WEST OAKLAND MUTUAL LOAN ASSOCIATION will be held at the office of the corporation, corner Seventh and Willow streets, West Oakland, Calif., on Monday, the fourteenth day of September, 1903, at 6:30 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year, presentation of the twenty-eighth annual report, and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

Books are now open for the subscription to 1000 shares of stock of the twenty-seventh series.

By order of the Board of Directors,

A. SBARBORO,

Secretary West Oakland M. L. A.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Associated Charities of Oakland will be held at the rooms of the Board of Trade, 522 Twelfth street, Monday, September 14, at 8 p. m., for the purpose of electing officers and transacting the usual routine business.

B. H. PENDLETON, President.

C. A. WHITNEY, Secretary.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Catherine Gallagher, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Catherine Gallagher, deceased, and for the issuance to P. A. Cox and Margaret McBrien of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Friday, the 25th day of September, A. D. 1903, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, September 11th, 1903.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.

By A. A. Rogers, Deputy Clerk.

JOHN J. McDONALD, Attorney for Petitioners, Oakland, Cal.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Louisa Reichhold, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executor of the estate of Louisa Reichhold, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executor, at the office of his attorney, T. C. Judkins, Rooms 10 and 11, Fourth Floor, Mills Building, San Francisco, California, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Louisa Reichhold, deceased.

LOUIS REICHHOLD,

Executor of the estate of Louisa Reichhold, deceased.

Dated, Oakland, August 31, 1903.

T. C. JUDKINS, Attorney for Executor, Mills Building, San Francisco, Cal.

SUMMONS.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda.

ANNIE ALDRICH BARTON and HELEN ALDRICH DUNNING, as Trustees appointed to execute the trusts created by the Last Will of WILLIAM A. ALDRICH, Deceased, and ANNIE ALDRICH BARTON and HELEN ALDRICH DUNNING, in their individual capacities,

Plaintiffs.

vs.

GEORGE ALBERT ALDRICH, MINNIE C. ALDRICH, HELEN H. ALDRICH, BERNICE B. ALDRICH, AILEEN ALDRICH, WILLIAM A. ALDRICH, SWINTON B. ALDRICH, JOHN DOE, RICHARD ROE, JAMES DEN, and MARY FEN,

Defendants.

Action brought in Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, and Complaint filed in said County of Alameda, in the office of the Clerk of the said Superior Court.

The People of the State of California send greeting to George Albert Aldrich, Minnie C. Aldrich, Helen H. Aldrich, Bernice B. Aldrich, Aileen Aldrich, William A. Aldrich, Swinton B. Aldrich, John Doe, Richard Roe, James Den and Mary Fen:

You, and each of you, are hereby directed to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiffs, in the Superior Court, in and for the County of Alameda, State of California, and to answer the complaint therein within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this summons, if the said summons is served on you within the said County of Alameda; or if served upon you elsewhere, then within thirty days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service thereof upon you; or judgment by default will be taken against you according to the prayer of said complaint.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint as above required, said plaintiffs will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in said complaint, as arising upon contract, or will apply to the said Court for any other relief demanded in said complaint.

Said action is brought to obtain a judgment of said Court, aiding and instructing the said above named Trustees in the performance and execution of the trusts created by the Last Will of William A. Aldrich, deceased, and established by the Decree of Final Distribution of the estate of said decedent, and ascertaining and determining the powers and duties of the said Trustees over and concerning the real property belonging to said trust estate, which is situated in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, and which is bounded by a line commencing at the point of intersection of the southerly line of Pacific street with the westerly line of Stockton street; running thence westerly along said line of Pacific street 76 feet and 10 inches; thence at a right angle southerly 50 feet 5¼ inches; thence at a right angle easterly 76 feet 10 inches to the easterly line of Stockton street; and thence northerly along the said line of Stockton street 50 feet 5¼ inches, and to the point of commencement; together with the appurtenances thereof.

Also, that the said Court, by its judgment and decree, order and direct that said property be sold and fix the price therefor, and give directions to said Trustees concerning the sale and disposition thereof; also, that said Court authorize and direct said Trustees to make sale of said property to the proposed purchaser thereof named in said complaint, at private sale, for the sum of $21,750.00, upon the terms and conditions set forth in said complaint; and that said sale thereof, when made and reported, be sanctioned and confirmed by said Court; and that said Trustees be allowed out of said trust estate their disbursements and the fee of their attorneys herein, and the amount of commissions agreed to be paid to the real estate agents who found said purchaser and obtained the said offer for said real property; and that such other further or different relief be granted, and such other and further judgment be rendered herein as shall seem equitable and just.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, at the City of Oakland, in said County, on this 31st day of August, A. D. 1903.

(Seal.) JOHN P. COOK,

As County Clerk of said County of Alameda, State of California, and ex-officio Clerk of said Superior Court.

By R. T. Baker, Deputy Clerk.

(Endorsed): DROWN, LEICESTER & DROWN, Attorneys for Plaintiffs in said action, 104 Sutter street, San Francisco, Cal.

Oakland Tribune.

Telephone............Private Exchange 9

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Grand Opera House—"The Lady Slavery."
Fischer's—"The Glad Hand" and "The Corn-curers."

Picnic at Shell Mound Park.

September 20—Club Allemania of San Francisco.

MONDAY......SEPTEMBER 14, 1903.

PERSONAL.

MRS. DR. HARBICH, the well known clairvoyant, palmist and card reader, gives advice in business, health, love, employment, etc., future events. 2225 Ashby ave., 2 blocks from Telegraph ave., Berkeley. c

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MADAME SOUDAN, well known spiritual medium. Hours, 10 to 12; 1 to 6. 513 16th st., near Washington. Truth or no fee. c

E. JOHNSON, expert chimney sweep, formerly with E. R. Tutt, removed his office from 511 13th st. to 971 Broadway—All work guaranteed and prompt attention to orders. Phone Black 661. c

FOR plants and seeds cheap go to A. G. Fleck. Store-rooms, 5th and Washington sts; nursery and green-houses, 36th and Grove sts. c

PROFESSIONAL nurse—Confinements, massage; 20 years' experience; prices reasonable. Call or address Mrs. D. Barton, 108 4th st., Oakland. c

RAG CARPETS, rugs and silk portieres woven to order and for sale at lowest rates. G. Matthew, 709 5th st., between Castro and Brush sts. Phone Blue 795. c

PUPILS wishing assistance in making higher grades in school, please send name and address to Box 304, Tribune. c

GOOD homes provided for orphans or neglected children by "Children's Rescue Work Society"; from infancy to 18 years. Address Mrs. Jennie G. Nichols, gen. supt., Hotel Crellin, Oakland. c

GENERAL NOTICES.

OAKLAND SOUVENIR POSTAL CARDS FREE. See S. M. Dodge & Son, 1160 Broadway. b

ALL Auction Sales given prompt attention; terms reasonable.

C. A. WARREN,
General Auctioneer,
Phone James 1801. b No. 376 12th street.

ARGONAUT TENT, NO. 38, K. O. T. M., meets every Tuesday evening at 8 P. M., Maccabee Temple, 11th and Clay sts. R. M. Brown, R. K., 1509 Franklin; C. D. Lawton, 809 12th st., Com.

OAKLAND WINDOW CLEANING CO., S. E. corner 11th and Broadway.—Cleaning show cases, looking glasses, windows, paints, floors scrubbed, etc.; contracts by week or month. Business phone Red 3347. G. Figone, manager. Residence phone White 998. b

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

COMPETENT woman wants position to care for one or two children; good references. Box 290, Tribune. h

COMPETENT, reliable woman will do cooking, housework or sewing; $1.50 per day. Call or address 533 Linden st., Oakland. h

FASHIONABLE dressmaker wishes engagements by day. 1124 13th ave., East Oakland. h

WANTED—To do cooking and waiting on table, for dinners and parties, sweeping and window cleaning. Room 13, 564 9th st. h

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A. L. BLACK, Attorney-at-Law, rooms 26 and 27 Broadway; phone Brush 81.

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GEO. EDGAR JACKSON, Attorney-at-Law, 922 Broadway, Oakland.

FREDERICK E. WHITNEY, Attorney-at-Law, removed to 921 Broadway, rooms 17 and 18; telephone Black 501.

HAROLD L. MARTIN, Attorney-at-Law, rooms 15 and 16, 921 Broadway.

BROOKS & HARGIS, Attorneys-at-Law, Parrott building, San Francisco; telephone Jessie 601.

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BEN F. WOOLNER, Attorney and Counselor-at-Law and Notary Public, 1003½ Broadway, rooms 7 and 8.

CLINTON G. DODGE, rooms 15 and 16, 906 Broadway.

SAMUEL BELL M'KEE, Attorney-at-Law, 857 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA, 957 Broadway, northeast corner of Ninth st., Oakland; room 2; telephone No. 38.

JOHNSON & SHAW, Law Office, 969 Broadway, rooms 49, 50 and 51.

MELVIN C. CHAPMAN, Attorney-at-Law, has removed to 905 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

SNOOK & CHURCH, Attorneys-at-Law, 922 Broadway, over Union Savings Bank.

NYE & KINSELL, Attorneys-at-Law, 861 Broadway.

HARRY W. PULCIFER, Attorney-at-Law, 957 Broadway, rooms 22 and 23.

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SEARCHER OF RECORDS.

G. W. McKEAND—Searcher of Records and Examiner of Land Titles, removed to 458 8th st., west of Broadway, Oakland.

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LETTER LIST.

List of letters remaining uncalled for in the Oakland, Cal., Postoffice, Saturday morning, Sep. 12th. Persons calling for any of the following please state date of list. All letters remaining unclaimed for two weeks will be sent to the Dead Letter Office.

A—Anderson & Co, G W Arburnoor, Mrs Ollie Asbury, L W Auger, Mis J H Avery, Miss N Stella Ames.

B—Mrs K Baker, L J Baley, Muto M Barnet, Franklin Borrom, John Revette Banett, Mrs C E Bennett, Frank Besack, Walter R Black, Mrs S C Bordan, J B Bowen, Rose Bowen, Warren Bradley, Miss Eleanor Brosnan, Mrs Brown, Milton Buckley, B R Burton.

C—Mrs Ellen Campbell, Allen Cavan, Miss Stella Chambers, Alita Chalgren, Germain Chabot, Dr C Chamberlain, Mrs Anne Chamberlain, Mrs H T Chapin, J L Chilton, Mrs Sarah Church, Pietro Cotti Citts, R E Clifford, Miss Maude E Clock, Mrs Ella Clune, Mr and Mrs Ed L Coats, C G Coffin, John Collins, Miss Laura Collins 3, Mrs C Cole, Mrs H T Compton, Mrs Cooks, W F Cooper, Wm A Cook, M M Corley, Mrs V J Corner, F F Cotton, Wm J Cotton, F W Cowan, Robert Crabb, Mrs Carlton C Crane, G Crosby, A P Culbertson, Miss Hannah Curran, J A Curley 2, Joseph Curley, Mrs J A Curley, A D Cutts, R A Curran, E L Curtis.

D—Mrs James Daley, John W Dallis, Mrs Emeline Dallas, Angus Dangles, Auguste Dangles, Edward Davey, Mrs F M Davis, J H Davis, Wm Davis, Mrs M D D'soris, Mrs H Degelman, Chas De Cock, Joe De Paul, Mrs W H De Theill, Mrs Francis Doerner, Victor P Dremitre, Ed Dake, Mrs Robert Duncan, Mrs Cynthia A Dutton, Mrs Pearl Dwyer.

E—Miss Bell Easton, A A Eells, J W Elstum, Mrs H Elliott, Mrs Carrie O Embree, Claude Evans.

F—Miss Lolo Ferguson, Mrs Ethel Swenthout Fleming, Miss Belle F Folsom care E W Hanson, Capt R M Forde, Chas Foster, Anton Frates, Edward Frederick, Mrs W F Frost, Luigi Frussetti.

G—Lim Gee, G E Guernsey, Mrs W B Gibson, Commodore D Gillett, Mrs R E Goodenough, Jose Juario Gomes, Mrs Gove, E W Gould, J A Grabill, George Granville, Mrs Dennis Green, Wm K Green, Mrs Guthridge.

H—Miss Jessie Hahn, Henry Hansen, J Hanson, I Harshbarger, Unkle Harris, Mr and Mrs Fred Hatch, Lizzie Hages, L Heines, N W Haestand, Ole L Henningson, Lu Hill, Fred W Hoover, Miss Elizabeth Howard, Mrs J Howard, Miss F Huber, Miss Augusta Hobbell, Mrs L C Hueghson, Mrs Belle Hunter, Miss Kath Hynes.

J—Fritz Johnson, D H Jackson, Mrs R H Jackson, Mrs T Jarvis, Mrs Fred Jochem, Nells Jorgenson, Charles F Johnson 4, C Johnson, Estelle Johnson, Nils Johnson, Miss Bessie Jones, Mrs Mary Jones, Miss Jones, Mrs E M Jones 2, Mrs Irene Judge.

K—Roy R Kaley, Miss Helen Gear, Mrs Killey, Mrs K C Kenney, H C King, Mrs Mary King, N Klein, Rudolf Koch, May F Krueger.

L—Robert A Laidlaw, Miss G Lamme, Mrs Lamb, Hy Larrien, B L Larren, L M Lassile, Mrs C Langlin, Mattie SeabrightHT HTkkw gf bm m m tie Leabright, Mrs Phebe Leach, Dr W Ledbetter, Mrs Leyander, Arthur Lewis, F A Lewis, Mrs Annie Lindell, Mrs A Lityleman, D P Lynch.

M—J Malvern, Criss Malatesta, Mrs Manche, Mrs Hy Y Marshall, Will Martin, Miss Salma Matsson, A Mathieson, Mrs Mary McAlaster, Mr McCauley, F J McCarthy, J McCauslin, Mrs F R McClellan, James McCormick, W O B McDonough, Mr McDermott, Miss Fay McKee, Mrs I McQuade, Henry O P Medan, G F Miller, W A Mitchell, Jas Montgomery, Delger Moor, Miss Sophie Morrow, Miss Edna Morrills, Gus Martin, M S Morse, W R Morris, L S Mosher, Mrs J D Mullins.

N—Miss Barbara Nash, Pearle Nevins, Mrs M C Nelson, Mrs Mattie Nelson, Mrs Ida Nichols, Miss M W Nicholls, John Nieman, Miss Lennette Norton.

O—Mrs M E Odeel, John O'Hara, Otto Olen.

P—Hall Panghorn, Miss Marie Parenti, Mrs Parker, Mrs A R Patrick, Mrs H B Perkins, Mrs K S Perry, Mrs A B Perkins, Miss Fulda Peaterson, Mark H Patten, Mrs Porter, Mrs Cecele C Price.

R—Mrs Randall, Mrs Raymond, Mrs B Reynolds, W A Rice, Miss Fina E Rivarde, Miss Virginia Roberts, Mrs S C Robinson, Mrs James Roney, Mrs F Rohan, Chas F Rodgers, Ieslie Rodgers, Mrs E G Ross, Lillie Rose 3, Miss Emma Riedel, E L Russell, Runners Association (secy.)

S—Mrs Francis Salguard, Mrs Anana Sopro, Miss Lillian Schneider, A H K Schmidt, Miss Mary Schmidt, Miss Merta Scott, W T Scott, Mr Seiler, Mr Shade, Mrs O Shumate, Mrs E Schultz, Henry Simon, John M Simpson, E Simonds, C F Smith, Henry Smith, Mrs Margaret Smith, L R Smith, J A Smith, Wm Smith, Dr Samuel Smith, Wilson Smith, J A Steedman, Mrs L Stetson, William Sturgeon, O B Stuart, Miss Mary Sullivan, Michael Sullivan, Mrs Elizabeth Swank.

T—Mrs Talbot, R H Taylor, Mrs C M Tharp, Mr Thomas, Mrs Sarah Thompson, Miss A Tische, Geo Soule, Mrs Addie Tyack, Mrs G M Turner.

V—Mrs J F Vance, Mrs Zilpha Viller, Mrs Morlilah Voight.

W—E Warren, E Watcher, Mr Weilford, Anson Weeks, J A Welden, Harold Werner, Harry H Weymouth, Robert Whittle, Dr A Williams 2, Miss Williams, J T Williams, Charles P Williams, Mrs Robert Williams, Mrs Annie Wilson, Mrs Josephine Wilson, Miss Laura Wilson, Mrs W W Wilson, Mrs M Winchelman, Mr Fred Wolle, Mrs W S Wooldridge, Miss Woodroffe, Mr Chipman Wright, Dr R Wyatt.

Y—Mrs F A Yokum, Mr Geo Yule.

Postage Due—Agust Godgad, Miss Annie Johanssen, V H Gammon, Miss Catherine Putnam.

T. T. DARGIE, P. M.

MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS

Steamers due and to sail today and for the next six days are as follows:

DEPART.

Steamers.	For—	Sails.
Queen	Victoria, Puget Sound, Alaska	Sept. 13
Santa Rosa	San Diego & way	Sept. 13
Pomona	Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Sept. 13
Argo	Eel River ports	Sept. 13
Coos Bay	San Pedro and way	Sept. 14
Rainier	Seattle and Whatcom	Sept. 14
George W. Elder	Astoria and Portland	Sept. 15
Alliance	Eureka and Coos Bay	Sept. 16
Eureka	Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Sept. 16
Chico	Coquille River	Sept. 16
Corona	Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Sept. 16
Sonoma	Sydney, via Pago Pago and Auckland	Sept 17
Rival	Willapa Harbor	Sept 17
State of California	San Diego and way ports	Sept 17
DEPART		
Santa Barbara	Seattle and Olympia	Sept 17
City of Puebla	Victoria, Puget Sound and Alaska	Sept 18
Bonita	Newport, San Pedro, etc	Sept 18
Centennial	Seattle and Tacoma	Sept 18
Argo	Eel River ports	Sept 18
Rival	Willapa Harbor	Sept 18
Arcata	Coos Bay and Port Orford	Sept 19
Hongkong Maru	Hongkong, via Honolulu, Yokohama and Manila	Sept 19
Colon	New York, via Panama	Sept 19
Point Arena	Mendocino and Point Arena	Sept 19
Pomona	Eureka, Arcata, etc	Sept 19
North Fork	Eureka, Arcata, etc	Sept 19
Mariposa	Tahiti direct	Sept 20
Santa Rosa	San Diego and way ports	Sept 20
Columbia	Astoria and Portland	Sept 20
Francois H Leggett	Eureka, Arcata, etc	Sept 20

ARRIVE.

Steamers—	From—	Due.
Centennial	Seattle and Tacoma	Sept. 13
Rival	Willapa Harbor	Sept. 13
Chico	Coquille River	Sept. 13
Gipsy	Santa Cruz and Monterey	Sept. 13
City of Pueblo	Alaska, Puget Sound and Victoria	Sept. 14
State of California	San Diego and way ports	Sept. 14
Corona	Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Sept. 14
Eureka	Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Sept. 14
Alliance	Portland, Coos Bay, Eureka	Sept. 15
F. H. Legett	Portland	Sept. 15
Bonita	Newport, San Pedro, etc.	Sept. 15
Charles Nelson	Seattle	Sept. 15
Nebraskan	Honolulu and Kahului	Sept. 15
Arcata	Coos Bay and Port Orford	Sept. 16
Columbia	Portland and Astoria	Sept 17
Pomona	Eureka, Arcata, etc	Sept 17
City of Sydney	New York via Panama	Sept 17
Santa Rosa	San Diego and way ports	Sept 17
Point Arena	Mendocino and Point Arena	Sept 17
Santa Barbara	San Pedro	Sept 17
City of Peking	Hongkong, via Yokohama and Honolulu	Sept 19
Umatilla	Alaska, Puget Sound, Victoria	Sept 19
Coos Bay	San Pedro and way ports	Sept 19
Corona	Eureka, Arcata, etc	Sept 20
Luxor	Seattle	Sept 20

ARRIVED AT SAN FRANCISCO.

Ger stmr Eva, Petersen, 24½ days from Moji.
Stmr Argo, Dunham, 22 hours from Eel River.
Stmr Navarro, Weber, 16 hours from Albion.
Bktn Newsboy, Chopperfield, 7 days from Port Blakeley.
Schr J A Campbell, Sodergren, 7 days from Everett, up river direct.
Schr Viking, Lutjens, 17 days from Dutch Harbor.
Schr Ocean Spray, Olsen, 4 days from Siuslaw River.
Schr Prosper, Jorgenson, 23 days from Bristol Bay.
Schr Mayflower, Goodmansen, 3 days from Coquille River.
Schr Glen A, Hansen, 14 hours from Iversen's Landing.
Stmr President, Anderson, 12 days from Naknek.

SAILED FROM SAN FRANCISCO.

Stmr Despatch, Levinson, Portland, Or.
Stmr Chehalis, Frantzon, Gray's Harbor.
Stmr South Portland, McIntyre, Portland, Or.
Stmr Santa Rosa, Alexander, San Diego.
Stmr Ruth, Reed, Bihler's Point.
Stmr Queen, Cousins, Victoria and Puget Sound ports.
Stmr Pomona, Swansen, Eureka.
Stmr Navarro, Weber, San Pedro.
Stmr Nevadian, Weeden, Honolulu and Kahului.
Stmr Phoenix, Odland, Mendocino.
Bktn S G Wilder, Jackson, Honolulu.
Schr Ida A, Campbell, Point Reyes.
Schr Charles W, Larsen, Bodega.
Schr Emma Claudina, Soderholm, Eureka.
Schr Bessie K, Merriam, San Vicente Landing.
Schr Ivy, Jensen, Coos Bay.
Schr Sausalito (new), Rasmussen, Willapa Harbor, in tow of stmr Chehalis.

COAST PORTS.

ASTORIA—Sailed Sept 13, stmr Robert Dollar for San Pedro; stmr Signal for Redondo; schr Susie M Plummer for San Francisco.

EUREKA—Arrived Sept 13, stmr North Fork, hence 11.

Sailed Sept 13, stmr Corona for San Francisco.

MARSHFIELD—Sailed Sept 13, stmr Alliance for Eureka and San Francisco.

Arrived Sept 13, schr Charles E Falk, hence 2.

NAKNEK—Sailed Aug 22, ship Tacoma for San Francisco. Aug 28, bark Nicholas Thayer for San Francisco. Aug 29, bark Himalaya for San Francisco. Aug 30 bark Coalinga for San Francisco. Sept 1, bark Reaper for San Francisco.

To sail on or about Sept 15, ship M P Grace for San Francisco.

POINT LOBOS—Passed Sept 13, 10 A M, stmr Alcazar from Port Los Angeles for Greenwood.

PORT LOS ANGELES—Arrived Sept 12, Ger stmr Elba from Karatsu.

PORT TOWNSEND—Sailed Sept 13, Br bark Astoria from Tacoma for West Coast; schr Manila for San Francisco.

REDONDO — Arrived Sept 13, bark Coryphone from Anacortes.

SAN PEDRO—Arrived Sept 13, schr Mabel Gray from Eureka; schr Alcalde from Eureka; stmr Bonita, hence 10; bark Haydn Brown from Eureka; schr Alvena from Astoria; schr Frank W Howe from Port Madison; schr James A Garfield fom Coos Bay; schr Wempe Brothers from Port Madison.

Sailed Sept 13, stmr Bonita for San Francisco.

SANTA BARBARA—Arrived Sept 13, stmr State of California from San Diego, schr Comet from Aberdeen.

Sailed Sept 13, stmr State of California for San Francisco.

SEATTLE—Arrived Sept 12, stmr City of Topeka from Skagway.

TATOOSH—Passed out Sept 13, Br stmr Wellington from Oyster Harbor for San Francisco; Br ship King David from Port Ludlow for Valparaiso; stmr Charles Nelson for San Francsco; schr Manila from Port Ludlow for San Francisco.

VENTURA—Arrived Sept 13, stmr Asuncion from San Pedro.

ISLAND PORTS.

HONOLULU—Arrived Sept 12, Br bark Forfarshire from Newcastle, Aus; U S stmr Solace from Manila; stmr City of Peking from Yokohama. Sept 13, schr Allen A from Eureka.

Sailed Sept 12, bark Olympic for San Francisco.

HILO—Sailed Sept 12, bark Martha Davis for San Francisco.

EASTERN PORT.

NEW YORK—Arrived Sept 12, stmr Columbia from Glasgow and Moville.

Sailed Sept 12, stmr Princess Irene for Genoa and Naples.

FOREIGN PORTS.

BEACHY HEAD—Passed Sept 13, stmr Bremen from Bremen for New York.

BOULOGNE-SUR-MER—Sailed Sept 12, stmr Noordam from Rotterdam for New York.

BREMEN—Sailed Sept 12, stmr Bremen for New York, via Cherbourg.

BROWHEAD—Passed Sept 13, stmr Bohemian from Boston for Liverpool.

GLASGOW—Sailed Sept 12, stmr Numidian for New York.

LIVERPOOL—Arrived Sept 13, stmr Arabic from New York, via Queenstown.

LIZARD—Passed Sept 13, stmr Minnehaha from New York for London; stmr Zeeland from New York for Antwerp; stmr Noordam from Rotterdam for New York.

LONDON—Arrived Sept 13, stmr Buenos Ayrean from Montreal and Quebec.

MALINHEAD—Passed Sept 13, stmr Numidian from Glasgow for New York.

MOVILLE — Arrived Sept 13, stmr Tunisian from Montreal for Liverpool, and proceeded.

NAPLES—Arrived Sept 13, stmr Vancouver from Boston, via Azores, for Genoa.

OYSTER HARBOR—Sailed Sept 12, Br stmr Wellington for San Francisco.

QUEENSTOWN—Sailed Sept 13, stmr Umbria for New York from Liverpool.

ST JOHN'S, N F—Arrived Sept 13, stmr Cathagenian from Glasgow and Liverpool for Halifax and Philadelphia.

(Official.)

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

ADJOURNED REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1903.

Pursuant to adjournment the Board of Supervisors met at 10 o'clock A. M. The roll was called and all members being present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved without alteration.

ALLOWANCE OF CLAIMS.

The following claims having been approved by the Auditing and Finance Committee were read by the Clerk:

County General— Automatic D. L. Telephone Co., $20.00; John C. Applewhite, $1.00; H. Arendt & Co., $14.80; Bank of Alvarado, assignee of August May, $210.00, $146.44, $197.75; Bank of Livermore, assignee of D. F. Bernal, $3.00; Same, assignee of W. E. Still, $50.00; Bank of Pleasanton, assignee of F. E. Adams, $10.00; Same, assignee of A. N. Bernal, $3.00; Same, assignee of Wm. H. Cope, M. D., $15.00; Bank of San Leandro, assignee of Tribune Publishing Co., $111.14, $2.50; $17.30, $61.09; Bancroft-Whitney Co., $10.00, $10.50; Albert Brown, $80.00; California Bank, assignee of J. J. Medros, $5.00, $5.00, $5.00; Contra Costa Water Co., $621.50; Dean & Humphrey, $4.00; R. J. Dowling, $8.00; Martin Duddy, $5.00; F. T. Dusterberry, assignee of S. H. Chase Lumber Co., $194.00, $160.15, $160.25; F. T. Dusterberry, assignee of Caten Lewis, $3.00; Encinal Publishing Co., $35.00; First National Bank assignee of S. Anderson, $2445.10; First National Bank assignee Moore & Bishop, $400.00; J. C. Fitzpatrick, $2.50; John Gale, $4.00; Geary & Grindell, $50.00; J. F. Gratz, $1.00; O. D. Hamlin, $10.00, $5.00; C. H. Hawbaker, $10.00; H. Hauschild, assignee of Geo. A. Oakes, $10.00, $50.00; O. N. Hirsch & Co., assignee of Wm. W. Hirsch, $272.05; Humboldt Lumber Co., $7.50; L. H. Humphrey, $21.80; Wm. Hunter, $86.00; Industrial News, $50.00, $10.00; Jordan Printing Co., $9.50; R. J. Langford, $3.75, $33.45; J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee of C. S. Breers, $40.50; Same trustee assignee of De Camp & Mosher, $275.62, $165.00, $196.87, $192.50, $224.37, $220.00, $216.25, $165.00, $236.25, $275.62, $137.50, $196.87, $192.50, $236.25; Same trustee, assignee of S. Earman, $190.00; Same trustee, assignee of Elmhurst Review, $4.50; Same trustee, assignee of H. L. Enderson, $3.60; Same trustee, assignee of W. Calloway, $30.00; Same trustee, assignee of J. T. Clatzer, $3.00; Same trustee, assignee of Chas. Harrington $125.00, $130.00, $250.00; Same trustee, assignee of Morris Isaacs, $10.50; Same trustee, assignee of Johnson-Jeffrey Co., $198.15; Same trustee, assignee of P. J. Keller, $52.00; Same trustee, assignee of J. B. Lanktree, $3.50; Same trustee, assignee of W. C. Morrison, $27.50; Same trustee, assignee of D. A. O'Brien, $37.50, $109.00; Same trustee, assignee of M. S. Pires, $215.00, $215.00, $200.00, $215.00, $215.00; Same trustee, assignee of J. W. Sanford, $47.00; Same trustee, assignee of Wash Smith, $30.00; Same trustee, assignee of C. L. Tisdale, $5.00, $5.00, $10.00; Same trustee, assignee of Waters Bros., $33.50, $7.25; Daniel McCarthy, assignee of Daniel McCarthy, $10.00; James McManus, $50.00; F. D. Mitchell, $3.75; Oakland Enquirer Publishing Co., assignee of J. E. Curdy, $7.00, Same, $22.00, $25.00; Oakland Gas Light & Heat Co., $40.90; Oakland Times, $25.00; P. B. Preble, $4.50; Remington Typewriter Co., $90.00; C. M. Rosenberg, assignee of A. W. Burnham, $3.00; R. E. Revalk, $7.50; Saddle Rock Restaurant, $326.00; L. Schaffer, $20.00; Max C. Schulze, $4.25, $36.10; Walter F. Sibley, Sheriff, $9.00; Sunset Telephone and Telegraph Co., $.40, $5.00, $.75, $8.08, $.15, $5.15, $66.86, $3.70; The Oakland Bank of Savings, assignee of M. V. Knox, $5.00, $5.00; The Oakland Bank of Savings, assignee of W. K. Sanborn, $5.00, $5.00, $5.00, $5.00; The Oakland Bank of Savings, assignee of J. H. Todd, $5.00, $5.00, $5.00, $5.00, $5.00; Union National Bank, assignee of J. E. Curdy, $25.00; Union National Bank, assignee of Hook Bros. Co., $82.50; Union National Bank, assignee of J. J. Medros, $5.00; Union National Bank, assignee of Tribune Publishing Co., $10.20, $4.31, $3.50, $21.42, $42.00, $63.00, $8.00, $41.86, $22.92, $18.39, $42.54, $11.13, $11.50, $16.05, $2.50, $54.48, $15.02, $22.66, $22.57, $15.80, $16.74; Wilber Walker Co., $122.50; Bank of Pleasanton, assignee of Thos. Green, $88.00; Same, assignee of N. Lund, $80.00; Louis E. Ferrier, $2611.60; E. B. & A. L. Stone Co., $1008.98.

County Infirmary Fund—I. N. Adams, $28.00, $6.00; H. Arendt & Co., $28.00; Anspacher Bros., $56.00; Gad Algwin, $18.00; M. Baptist, $14.00; W. F. Batchelder, $23.00; Bank of Alvarado, assignee of Ralph & Olsen, $16.00; J. A. Brunjo, $68.00; F. E. Cook, $29.00; Mrs. H. Conroy, $21.00, $42.00; Contra Costa Water Company, $2.50; Cumming & Woodworth, $48.00; H. D. Cushing, $20.00, $3.00, $61.95; H. K. Duncan, $6.00; Elber & Nor, $141.00; H. W. Emerson, $56.00; Gas Consumers' Association, $1.50; John Geary, $1,550.20; M. Ginds, $30.00; W. W. Haley, $16.00; Helmke & Champion, $11.00; Hopkins & Co., $12.09; Howe, Dohrman Co., $9.45, $1.50; M. Least & Son, $38.00; James King & Son, $4.56; J. B. Lanktree, Trustee, assignee of L. A. Blaisdell, $25.00; same, assignee A. M. Freeman & Son, $25.00; same, assignee of J. E. Greenwood & Son, $15.00, $20.00; same, assignee A. Kenenover, $28.00; same, assignee Morris Isaacs, $16.50; same, assignee J. Komahrns, $32; same, assignee J. B. Lanktree, agent, $54.00; same, assignee C. T. Petersen, $15.00; M. Learner, $16.00; Charles E. Livermore, $31.00; Charles Loose, $10.00; Lubben Bros., $10.00; Mrs. F. H. Mason, $50.00; C. A. McClain, $11.00; McMillan & Cox, $177.00; Henry Meyer, $18.00; Henry Muller, $20.00; George L. Nusbaumer, $10.00; Joseph Oliveria, $8.00; Olsen & Co., $5.00; John Quin, $15.00, $5.00; D. [illegible] Ring, $15.00; Frank Rose, $16.00; Joseph Smith, $23.00; E. B. & A. L. Stone Company, $15.00, $21.50; J. C. Westphal & Sons, assignee of J. E. King, $30.00; Jesse H. Woods, $11.70.

General Road Fund—Bank of Pleasanton, assignee of Thos. Green, $1.00; same, assignee of N. Lund, $1.00; Louis E. Fevrier, $1.00; E. B. & A. L. Stone Company, $1.00.

Pleasanton District Road Fund—Bank of Pleasanton, assignee of Thos. Green, $1.00; same, assignee of N. Lund, $1.00; Louis E. Fevrier, $1.00; E. B. & A. L. Stone Company, $1.00.

On motion of Supervisor Horner, seconded by Supervisor Talcott, the claims were ordered paid to the several parties in the amounts and out of the funds designated, by the following vote.

Ayes—Supervisors Horner, Kelley, Rowe, Talcott and Chairman Mitchell—5.

Noes—None.

APPLICATIONS FOR RELIEF.

Application for relief of Mrs. A. P. Cosgrave, 11 562 East Fourteenth street, was referred to Supervisor Rowe.

REPORTS OF COUNTY AND TOWNSHIP OFFICERS.

The following reports of County and Township officers were received and ordered filed:

H. D. Rowe, Supervisor District No. 4, on aid allowed indigents. Number of indigents assisted, 191; amount allowed, $385.50.

J. M. Page, Warden of Insane, for August, 1903.

H. A. Borchert, Steward Receiving Hospital, for August, 1903.

H. A. Borchert, Jail Annex for July and August, 1903.

A. W. Feidler, County Treasurer, for August, 1903.

E. B. & A. L. Stone Company, Superintendent Tunnel, from July 16 to August 31, 1903.

C. H. Miller, Road Foreman Ocean View District, from August 1 to September 1, 1903.

E. R. Jensen, Road Foreman Palomares District, from August 1 to September 1, 1903.

D. Jackson, Road Foreman Alvarado District, from August 1 to September 1, 1903.

J. J. Santos, Road Foreman Centerville District, from August 1 to September 1, 1903.

Antone George Jr., Road Foreman Alvarado District, from August 1 to September 1, 1903.

Fred Zimmerman, Road Foreman Altamont District, from August 1 to September 1, 1903.

J. M. Brewer, Road Foreman Washington District, from August 1 to September 1, 1903.

J. J. Hansen, Road Foreman Dublin District, from August 1 to September 1, 1903.

Peter Oxsen, Road Foreman Pleasanton District, from August 1 to September 1, 1903.

J. Helmbold, Road Foreman Claremont District, from July 1 to August 1, 1903.

Carl Elm, Road Foreman Livermore District, from August 1 to September 1, 1903.

W. S. Bridge, Road Foreman Fruitvale District, from August 1 to September 1, 1903.

Statement of fees earned and fines imposed by J. R. Taylor, Justice of Peace of Murray Township; Thomas J. Power, Washington Township; C. C. Quinn, Pleasanton Township; Mortimer Smith, Police Court, City of Oakland; Robert Edgar, town of Berkeley, were read and ordered filed.

FREE PEDDLER'S LICENSE.

On motion of Supervisor Kelley, seconded by Supervisor Talcott, Louis Dutton was granted a free peddler's license for one year, by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Horner, Kelley, Rowe, Talcott, and Chairman Mitchell—5.

Noes—None.

REPORTERS' DESK.

On motion of Supervisor Rowe, seconded by Supervisor Horner, the Building Committee was authorized to furnish a suitable desk for use of reporters during sessions of the board.

REQUISITIONS.

The following requisitions were received and granted:

John. P. Cook, County Clerk, for rubber stamps.

T. O. Crawford, Superintendent of Schools, for envelopes.

AFFIDAVITS OF PUBLICATION.

The following affidavits of publication were received and filed:

Board of Equalization, Hayward Review.

Steam Heating County Buildings, Oakland Tribune.

Draining, grading and macadamizing San Leandro road, Oakland Tribune.

Applications for liquor license of Jos. Ethen Co. and J. F. Velladao, Fruitvale Progress.

INSURANCE TOWN JAIL.

Policy No. 1812345, Western Assurance Co., for $300 on Town Jail at Centerville, expiring September 12, 1904, was presented and ordered filed.

SCHOOL TAX.

A communication was read from T. O. Crawford requesting withdrawal of request for levy of 26 cents for school purposes and substituting in lieu thereof a request for levy of 23 cents.

INSPECTION OF BOILERS AT COUNTY INFIRMARY.

The Fidelity and Casualty Company of New York reported that they had inspected boilers at the County Infirmary insured under policy No. 168386 and found them to be in good condition.

BONDS AND CONTRACTS.

The following contracts and bonds were presented:

D. E. Brown, construction of concrete bridge across Sausal creek, Brooklyn Township.

John Beck, grading and draining a portion of County road 2621, Murray Township.

On motion of Supervisor Horner, seconded by Supervisor Talcott, bonds were approved and the Chairman authorized to execute the contracts on the part of the County, by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Horner, Kelley, Rowe, Talcott and Chairman Mitchell—5.

Noes—None.

APPLICATIONS FOR LIQUOR LICENSE.

The following made applications for liquor licenses:

H. J. Fortuna, Alvarado.

Sigmund Leikbam, Warm Springs.

Southern Pacific Company for ferry steamers.

Joseph T. T. Chatel, corner Walter street and San Leandro road.

The applications being correct in form and with the requisite number of signatures, the written recommendation of Chatel being signed by a number purporting to be greater than the signers of the protest heretofore presented from said precinct, the applications, bonds and written recommendation were ordered filed and referred to the Judiciary, Printing and License Committee, hearing being fixed for Monday, September 28, 1903, at 10 o'clock A. M., necessary publication being directed to be made as follows, viz:

H. J. Fortune, Niles Herald.

Sigmund Leibkam, Washington Press.

Joseph T. T. Chatel, Elmhurst Review.

Southern Pacific Company steamers Oakland and Encinal, Oakland Tribune.

Southern Pacific Company steamers Newark and Berkeley, Oakland Enquirer.

REPORT OF JUDICIARY, PRINTING AND LICENSE COMMITTEE.

The Judiciary, Printing and License Committee, to whom had been referred the applications for license of J. F. Velladao, William S. Santos and Jos. Ethen Co., presented their reports, recommending in each instance that the applications be granted. The bonds having been approved, appropriate resolutions were introduced and on motion of Supervisor Kelley, seconded by Supervisor Horner, were adopted, granting to each of said parties license for the sale of liquors, by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Horner, Kelley, Rowe, Talcott and Chairman Mitchell—5.

Noes—None.

BOND OF J. A. FURTADO AS POUNDMASTER PIEDMONT POUND DISTRICT.

J. A. Furtado presented his bond as Poundmaster of Piedmont Pound District, with William A. Mackinnon and P. Kisich as sureties. On motion of Supervisor Rowe, seconded by Supervisor Horner, the bond was approved by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Horner, Kelley, Rowe, Talcott and Chairman Mitchell—5.

Noes—None.

DECLINATION OF J. C. SHINN AS COMMISSIONER.

J. C. Shinn presented his declination to act as Commissioner to St. Louis Exposition of 1904. On motion of Supervisor Rowe, seconded by Supervisor Talcott, the declination was accepted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Horner, Kelley, Rowe, Talcott and Chairman Mitchell—5.

Noes—None.

SACRAMENTO EXHIBIT.

On motion of Supervisor Rowe, seconded by Supervisor Kelley, the Chairman was authorized to designate a committee of three from the Board, the Chairman to be one of said committee, to inspect the exhibit of Alameda County at Sacramento. The chair designated as such committee the following, viz: Supervisors Rowe, Kelley and Mitchell.

ACCEPTANCE OF TASSAJERA BRIDGE CONTRACT.

On motion of Supervisor Horner, seconded by Supervisor Rowe, the contract of Louis E. Fevrier for construction of a concrete bridge across Tassajera creek was accepted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Horner, Kelley, Rowe, Talcott and Chairman Mitchell—5.

Noes—None.

HIGH STREET.

A petition was received from Alfred Hawkins and others of Brooklyn Township protesting against the reduction of the width of High street.

Ordered filed.

PETITION FOR ACCEPTANCE OF STREETS IN CENTRAL PIEDMONT TRACT.

A petition was received from the Realty Syndicate for the acceptance of all streets, public roads, alleys and highways offered for public use by that certain map entitled "Map of Central Piedmont Tract, Oakland Township, Alameda County, California."

Thereupon the following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Rowe:

Resolved, That whereas that certain map entitled "Map of Central Piedmont Tract, Oakland Township, Alameda County, California," showing a subdivision into lots of portions of plots "A" and "E," as shown upon the map entitled "Map in Partition of the Blair Ranch," accompanying the referee's report in Case Number 10390 in the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, filed April 28th, 1897, in the office of the County Clerk of said County of Alameda (the tract of land so subdivided being situated in the Piedmont Road District, Oakland Township, in said County of Alameda), has been presented to the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, State of California, by the proprietors of the land delineated thereon, as provided by law; now therefore be it

Resolved: That the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, State of California, does not accept on behalf of the public any of the streets, roads, alleys and highways offered by said map for public use; and be it further

Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board be and he is hereby authorized and directed to endorse upon said map the fact that said map has been duly presented to this Board, as provided by law, and that the Board of Supervisors does not accept on behalf of the public any of the streets, roads, alleys and highways offered by said map for public use.

On motion of Supervisor Rowe, seconded by Supervisor Horner, the resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Horner, Kelley, Rowe, Talcott and Chairman Mitchell—5.

Noes—None.

ADJOURNMENT.

No further business appearing the Board adjourned to meet Monday, September 14, 1903, at 10 o'clock A. M.

JOHN MITCHELL,
Chairman.

Attest:
J. P. COOK, Clerk.

OFFICIAL RECORDS

SATURDAY, SEPT. 12, 1903.

DEEDS.

Aug 21, 03—Mary C Dolan (single) to Helen F Tobin (Dolan) dghtr, Oakland—Lot 11 map Broadway and Weston av lots, gift.

Sept 4, 03—La Monte E Brown to Henry Kingdon, Oakland—Lot 7 blk K, Golden Gate tract, $10.

Apr 12, 02—Lawrence or Rev Lawrence Serda (single) to Wm H Mackinnon, Oakland—S 42d 265 W Grove W 25 x S 137-7½ lot 24 blk 2089 Paradise Plot; Oakland—S 42d 100 W Grove S 137-6 x W 65, $10.

Oct 9, 02—Wm H & Frances Mackinnon to Geo Sterling, Oakland—Same, $10.

May 28, 03—Geo & Carrie R Sterling (wf) to Realty Syndicate (cptn), Oakland—Same, $10.

May 28, 03—Same to same, Okd Tp—Lots 35 and 36 Map Rock Ridge, $10.

May 18, 03—Max H Eisners (single) to Josephine Kane wf Jas A, E Okd—NE E-16th 90 SE 10th av SE 35 NE 100 NW NW 25 SW 30 NW 10 SW 70 to beg, blk 87, Clinton, $10.

Sept 11, 03—Margt & Thos Keane (hus) to R B Hill, E Okd—NW 9th av 50 NE E-18th NE 50 NW 125 SW 100 SE 25 NE 50 SE 100 blk 107, Clinton, $10.

May 6, 03—Mary Gilliland (wdw) & Wm J & Mary E Gilliland (wf) to Adam Gilliland, Berkeley—E King 150.6 N Mason N 75.3 x E 120 lot 38 blk 11, map lds Regent St Hd Assn; Okd Tp—E 25 ft lot 18 blk J, Klinknerville tract, Emeryville, $10.

Aug 10, 03—Kathe V Klinkner, extrx est Chas A Klinkner (decd) to Louis Schaffer, Oakland—Lots 2 & 3 and lots 16 & 17 blk 11 Map Herzog tract, Golden Gate, $910.

Aug 20, 03—Harvey S & Laura S Haseltine (hus) to E M & I W Bridenbecker, Berkeley—W Kelsey 64 S Maple now Stuart S 60 x W 120 lot 46 and ptn 47, blk C map University Villa tract, $10.

Aug 20, 03—E M & I W Bridenbecker (wf) to Lewis A Pier, Berkeley—Same, $10.

Sept 1, 03—Joseph & Maggie Davis (wf) to Lillie B Boone, Berkeley—W Spring 309-11 S Vine S 60 x W 125 being E ½ of lot 5 blk 2 ppty Berkeley View Hd Assn pth plot 34 etc, $10.

Sept 12, 03—Mary F Davidson (widow) to Alice H Marquis (married), Berkeley—W Telegraph or Humboldt av 139-7 S Stuart W 128-4 N 33-8 E 137.71 S 35 ptn lot 4 blk G Leonard tract, $10.

Sept 12, 03—Levi J Moran (single) to Ludwig & Sophie Fischer (wf), Berkeley—N Prince 400 W Calais N 135 W 163.04 S 135.12 E 160.19 lots 9 to 11 blk J Map subs blks I, J and L of Harmon tract, $10.

Sept 12, 03—Mrs Harriet A Hansen (wdw) to Hannah B Rulofson, Berkeley—W Harper 280 N Ashby av N 40 x W 122.33 blk 9 Amended map and resubdvn of Central Park, $10.

Sept 8, 03—Hercules A & Hattie C Morin to Ella M Tanson, (widow), Eden Tp—Lot E and W 6 ft lot D blk 16 map town of San Leandro, $5.

Aug 31, 03—Victor Lubeck to Antonio Mosceni, Oakland—W Grove 75 N 4th N 25 x W 75 lot 19 blk 47 Kellersbergers map, N Merrimac 227.04 W Telegraph av W 40 x N 76.96 lot 5 map Austin Park, $10.

Aug 24, 03—Hannah Work (widow) to Hattie L Wichman wf H F, E Okd—S cor 7th av and E-15th SW 110 x SE 100 blk 53 Clinton, E Okd—NE E-15th 70 SE 7th av SE 80 x NE 100 blk 71 same; E Okd—NE E-16th 113 NW 5th av NW 37 x NE 100 blk 81 Same, gift.

Sept 3, 03—Christina G or Gertrude C, Elizth J, Robert Tina, Helen E or Robertina Helen E & Ethel H or Ethel Gunn to Mary Y Rochford (single), E Okd—SE 6th av 150 SW E-9th SW 30 x SE 125 blk 2, same, $10.

Sept 10, 03—Danl & Della Allison (wf) to Mary E Oulsnam, Berkeley—E Lorina 75.65 S Russell S 40 x E 110 lot 17 blk D, map Adeline tct, $10.

Sept 12, 03—Augusta M Taylor extrx Est John Taylor (decd) to Kate Love (widow), Berkeley—E Milvia 210 N Vine N 30 x E 135 being N ½ lot 14 blk 2 Graves and Taylor tract, $550.

Sept 11, 03—Louis & Lottie H Titus (wf) to John H Spring, Okd Tp—250 acres being all that ptn of plot L running S of Strawberry creek and N and NW of Co rd fm Oakland to Martinez known as Fish Ranch Road being a continuation of Claremont av as sd plot L appears on map of undivided Mountain or Hill Land of V & D Peralta Ro; Berkeley—Beg at pt in E bdry in University Terrace 559-5 NW fm SE cor lot 19 th NW 275 SW 262 th alg center Panoramic Way SW 90 th still alg center Panoramic Way SE 360 E 280 to beg ptn lot 18 map University Terrace excepting ptn included in sd Panoramic Way, $63,000.

Aug 31, 03—Sarah E & Chas C Hamilton to Mary E & Lora G Rush, Berkeley—W Mary 152.8 S Bancroft Way S 50 x W 130 lot 4 blk 14 McGee tract, $10.

Sept 8, 03—Christian A & Margarethe Wieben (wf) to Kathe F McClellan, Bklyn Tp—Lot 22 and S ½ lot 23 blk 771 map sub blk 771 Levy tract, $10.

Sept 11, 03—Eleanor S Deering (wdw) & Chester Deering by Frank H Brooks atty to Chas H Joy Jr., Bklyn Tp—Lot 41 map Fruitvale and San Leandro Road tract, $10.

Sept 4, 03—L C & Miriam Morehouse (wf) to Mrs. L S Meginnis (widow), Eden Tp—S Davis 40 E Hayes E 35 x S 100 blk 2 San Leandro, $10.

Sept 12, 03—Antonio E de Mattos or Antone E Mathias & Maria da Almeida de Mattos (wf) to Hans P Hansen, Eden Tp—2.20 acres beg at post on S ln East st being NW cor tract conveyed to one Sequeira th SW 9.80 chs NW 2.99 chs NE 8.09 chs SE 2.07 chs to beg, $10.

MORTGAGES.

Sept 5, 03—Lewis A & Clarinda C Pier to Berkeley Bible Seminary, Berkeley—As in deed from Haseltine et ux to Bridenbecker, 5 years 8%, $500.

Sept 5, 03—Gaston Straus (single) to Jas Hopper, Alameda—S Pacific av 100 E Willow E 100 x S 150-2 lots 15 and 16 blk 19 lands adj to Encinal, 2 years 8%, $1500.

Sept 11, 03—Grace A Ewing wf J Cal to Hibernia S & L Socy, Oakland—W Alice 636 N 12th N 78 x W 150 lot 26 map Alice Park ppty 1 year 7½%, $3500.

Sept 11, 03—Same to same, Oakland—same, instal, $700.

Sept 12, 03—Theodore P Strong & John H Macdonald to Gertrude Medicus, Oakland—W San Pablo av 50 N 26th N 50 x W 100 lot 36 Milton tract, 1 year 8%, $2000.

Sept 2, 03—Geo & Amelia Leech & as atty to Mintie T Orr, Oakland—E 12th 40 S from its intersection with in dvdg lots 40 and 41 S 40 x E 197.90 lots 2 and 9 map Behlow tract in plot 40 Ro V and D Peralta Ro 3 years, 8%, $600.

Sept 12, 03—John & Louisa B Phillips to J A Cunha, Eden Tp—Lot 6 map Smith Sub San Leandro 1 year 8%, $200.

Sept 12, 03—Hans Peter Hansen to C P Windfeldt, Eden Tp—As in deed from A E de Mattos etc et ux, 2 years, 7%, $400.

Aug 29, 03—Kimball G Easton to H A Smith, Oakland—N 55th (Shasta) 120 W Grove W 80 x N 135 blk T Alpine tract 60 days 8%, $400.

Sept 12, 03—Mary E & Chas Henry Joy Jr to Eleanor S & Chester Deering, Bklyn Tp—Lot 41 map Fruitvale and San Leandro rd tract, instal, 7%, $125.

DEEDS OF TRUST.

Aug 28, 03—Margt Wilson wf E M to Mercantile Trust Co of S F tr S F Savings Union, E Okd—Lots 11 and 12 blk L and lot 6 blk M New Map of ptn Lynn Td adj Highland Park etc, $400.

Sept 10, 03—Danl & Della Allison to M M Rhorer & F H Clark trs Homestead Loan Assn, Berkeley—Lot 17 blk D, Adeline tract, $1450.

Sept 3, 03—Mary Y Rochford (single) to J S Myers & L D Manning trs Kate E Hess, E Okd—SE 6th av 150 SW E-9th SW 30 x SE 125 blk 2, Clinton, $750.

Sept 12, 03—Diedrich H Ahrens to J Bergez & A Lorsbach trs Humboldt B & L Assn, Oakland—W Linden 213-6 S 22d S 23 W 172 N 50 E 82 S 7 E 90 blk 619, Boardman map; Oakland—E Chestnut 195 S 22d S 29 x E 92 map svy Northern Extn; Oakland—N A st 28 E Helen E 55 x N 100 blk 792 map No 2 Watts tract, $2800.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

CRELLIN—A. Schweiper and wife, Mrs. E. Nunan, Miss Kenzie, V. B. Wald, San Francisco; L. Bien, New York; S. P. Rindan and wife, Crockett; Letitia E. Petree, Palo Alto; A. A. Gray, Blue Ravine; W. E. Mack, Chico; J. E. Depue, Los Angeles; J. P. Taylor, United States Army.

METROPOLE—R. G. Urquhart, Los Gatos; W. B. Bdsley, A. C. Hodges and wife, Oakland; Gus L. Hoerner, P. H. Sheridan, W. D. Bates, San Francisco; T. N. Lowell, S. W. Pipto; Mrs. N. E. Rush, New York; J. L. Daniels and wife, Alameda; C. H. Hawbaker and wife; D. E. Easterbrook and wife, Coronado.

ALBANY—J. T. Burney, Jay Seese, N. M. Hoffman, B. McFuller, Ed Kinnie, F. G. Watt, D. N. Watt, C. N. Skifurd, Mr. and Mrs. I. Taylor, Ed Hughes and wife, R. D. Brown, Oakland; Mrs. Bowman, Miss. E. C. Norris, H. P. Hill, Ed Bernstein, F. Chittenden, Mrs. Sheeler, V. L. Bourns, San Francisco; G. W. Wadsworth, Los Angeles; A. H. Young, Chicago; E. Shibley, Alameda; Miss Ranschkolb, Berkeley; Mrs. Baxter, Omaha; Mrs. Kaler, Mrs. Davis, R. S. Pozier, Colorado City; Miss M. Bell, Miss Viola Bell, Auburn; A. W. Archer, Plainfield; J. A. Wallace, Jonesboro; T. Martin, Boston.

TOURAINE—Van Cullen Jones, Oakland; A. G. Briggs, Newark; Mr. and Mrs. Duke, Sacramento; James T. Hill Jr., Boston; C. A. Younger, Pittsburg; B. W. Evermann, Washington; C. B. Lee, Sausalito.

BRUNSWICK—P. B. Harris, Los Angeles; C. A. Olson, Ralph Olson, Sacramento; C. Westbury, Crockett; A. L. Chapman, Oakland Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Martinelli, Pope Valley; G. Hilliker, San Francisco.

GALINDO—A. L. White, Suisun; W. Kenney, C. C. Forbes, E. L. Sands, San Francisco; Albert Miller, Port Costa; A. C. Miller, Pinole; P. H. Richardson, Milo; F. L. Fowler and wife; W. Bretteville, Fruitvale.

For Sale.

Brass Curtain Poles, 10 cents each; Curtains and fixtures, at H. Schellhaas' Corner Store, Eleventh street.

RAILROADS.

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BANKS.

DEVOTIONS AT CATHOLIC CHURCHES

The forty hours' devotion, commemorative of the Lord's forty hours in the tomb began with the celebration of a solemn high mass at 10:45 o'clock yesterday morning in the Catholic churches all over the city. In St. Patrick's Church, West Oakland the Rev. Father John McNally Jr., was celebrant the Rev. Father Samson deacon, the Rev. Father Lynch sub-deacon and the Rev. Father J. B. McNally, pastor of the church, acted as master of ceremonies and delivered a sermon on the Real Presence.

In the evening the Rev. Father John McNally Jr., delivered the discourse, while the devotions were conducted by Rev. Father Lynch.

In the morning at St. Mary's Church of the Immaculate Conception the Catholic Knights attended the services in a body and listened to a sermon by the Rev. Father Morrison, D. D., on "Catholic Knights." In the evening devotions were conducted by the Rev. Father Cantillon.

At St. Francis de Sales Church high mass was sung by Rev. Father Cantwell and a sermon was preached by Rev. Father Cull.

EMINENT PHOTOGRAPHER DEAD.

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Otto Sarony, who for nearly thirty years has had an international reputation for his work in portrait photographs, is dead at a hospital in this city from phthisis. His health had been failing for over two years. He was the son of Napoleon Sarony, the crayon artist, and was well known among members of the theatrical profession.

NEWS FROM THE VARIOUS LABOR UNIONS.

Labor Day Committee to Settle up its Affairs Wednesday Night—Grand Labor Ball.

Every member of this General Committee having charge of the Labor Day celebration has been urged to be present at the meeting next Wednesday evening as at that meeting settlement of all bills will be made and all other important matters will be considered. At the meeting of the committee a request was made that all those, having bills against the committee, would present the same at the Wednesday evening meeting. Unions were also requested to make their per capita returns that the work of the committee may be expedited. William E. Sully, secretary of the committee will receive these returns at any time from today to Wednesday.

MATERIAL TEAMSTERS.

In order that their standing in their union may be openly proclaimed and easily observed, hereafter, each member of the National Teamsters' Union will wear a button, the color of which will be different every thirty days. Such was the decision adopted by the union at its last meeting held in the Building Trades' headquarters. By conspicuously wearing such a badge the National Teamsters will be following the example of the street car men in whose care the new custom has proved very satisfactory.

TO DISTRIBUTE PRIZES.

On the evening of September 19, in Native Sons' Hall in San Francisco, the local central body of the building trades in conjunction with the San Francisco Building Trades' Council will hold a ball. The occasion will be to distribute the prizes won at the Labor Day picnic at Shell Mound Park. The festivities will be under the immediate direction of the picnic committee. A large number of Oakland union men will attend the affair.

MATERIAL TEAMSTERS.

At the last meeting of the Housemovers' Union, an advance upon the heretofore rate of $3.50 per day wages was declared after a lengthy discussion of the subject. When the business part of the session was at an end, the housemovers in conclave, indulged in a smoker at which the new member admitted to union membership during the evening, was also present.

NEWSBOYS' TROUBLES.

Angelo Ambrose, the father of two non-union newsboys got into a discussion with Willie Jacobus, the walking delegate of the Newsboys' Union, wherein he maintained his his sons' right to sell papers if they chose.

The argument Mr. Angelo emphasized, the points of his declaration of rights and privileges by blows of his fists, in consequence the result was his arrested on the double charge of disturbing the peace and battery.

The Angelo boys have been selling papers notwithstanding they were not members of the Newsboys' Union and upon Jacobus' interference, the father took the matter into his own hands and even further—into the city prison.

Jacobus was also arrested upon the disturbing the peace charge but was later released on bail as was also Angelo.

RETAIL CLERKS TONIGHT.

The regular meeting of the Retail Clerks' Union will be held this evening. Business connected with the recent Labor Day parade will be settled up.

MACHINISTS' RECEPTION.

At the meeting of the Machinists' Union Saturday night in Cooks and Waiters' headquarters, it was decided to attend at reception tonight in Machinists' Hall, 1159 Mission street, San Francisco, to be tendered Fourth National Vice President Thomas L. Wilson by the Local Union, No. 68.

Mr. Wilson did some valuable work in the machinists' strike on the Union Pacific, acting as an advisor. He will remain on the coast for some time, working in the interests of the various machinists' unions in the West.

WAREHOUSEMEN'S PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION.

At a meeting last week of the Bay Counties Warehousemen's Protective Association a demand was presented to warehouse owners, insisting upon a recognition of a nine-hour day. After the settlement of the great water front strike troubles two years ago the warehousemen, with the exception of those employed at McNear's, returned to their labor on the wage basis of 30 cents an hour and time and a half, or 45 cents, for overtime; Sundays and holidays, overtime to begin at 6 p. m., which virtually meant them to work ten hours when required. The present demand represents that the petitioners are engaged in a laborious occupation and on that is not continuous; that there is a great deal of lost and broken time, and that by asking for a nine-hour day they are only making what is a general demand. And, further, they would suggest that preference should be given union men, considering all things being equal.

It is generally thought that the following firms will agree: Balfour, Guthrie & Co., representing the California Wharf and Warehouse Co.; Girvin & Eyre of the Nevada Dock and Warehouse Co., and the Grangers' Business Association.

However, an answer by September 15 has been solicited and it is hoped it will be such as to establish all dealings between the warehousemen and their employers upon the most amicable basis.

BERKELEY TELEPHONE DIFFICULTY.

Berkeley telephone matters have reached such a stage that from an authorized statement of President Rickard of the Town Trustees it is learned that that body has decided to lend its assistance to the linemen by endowing the workmen who have taken the places of the striking linemen with the authority of special policemen. By this act the workers will be enabled to protect themselves from injury that might threaten from the strikers or their sympathizers, and, further, they will be permitted to use force if necessary in arresting any one disturbing them while at the performance of their duties. Though during the strike police protection and assistance has been extended to the telephone company in maintaining its service, the limited number of Berkeley police made it difficult to satisfactorily cover the large area over which the company's lines extend. And notwithstanding that the several times complete demoralization of the telephone system of Berkeley is not directly charged to the strikers, it is believed this move of the Town Trustees will be of some decided assistance to the telephone company maintaining better service.

WILL HAVE PIN MONEY.

WALKIREZ WILL HAVE PENSION WHILE IN PRISON—WANTS HANGING.

Victor Walkirez, the convicted murderer of aged Lizzie Leroy, will not want for pin money while he is serving his life sentence in prison. He is on the list as a totally disabled soldier and his claim for pension has been on file for several months past. His attorneys, Pearson & Herald, say there is no chance of the claim being disallowed and Walkirez will receive $17.50 per month.

Walkirez has already signed over his pension for several months to the attorneys. This was done before the case was undertaken.

The convicted man is very variable in his moods. A short time before the verdict was rendered he was singing and dancing in his cell and an hour later he was completely cast down. He now claims that he will ask the court to give him the death sentence in preference to life imprisonment. His attorneys will ask that he be confined at San Quentin instead of Folsom, when he comes up for sentence tomorrow.

GERTRUDE JOHNSON GIVEN DAMAGES.

The jury, in the case of Gertrude Johnson against the Southern Pacific Company for $25,000 damages received for personal injuries received at Niles in 1901, returned a verdict late Saturday afternoon awarding the plaintiff damages in the sum of $11,000.

VETERANS GIVE COLORED TROOPER RESPECTABLE BURIAL.

Military funeral of George H. Anderson, late of Company E, United States colored troops, a non-commissioned officer, who served through the war of the rebellion and also many years in the Regular United States army, and who died at the County Hospital on Friday last, was buried with military honors yesterday at Mountain View Cemetery. Captain W. R. Thomas of Appomattox Post, G. A. R., took charge of the remains and had them brought to Albert Brown's undertaking parlors and requested military honors rendered by Company A, Veterans Reserves, N. G. C., who cheerfully responded to the call, as they are always ready to respond to render proper honors to all soldiers. This soldier of the Republic leaves a widow and seven children living at Fruitvale. He served his country faithfully, having lost both eyes in the service and was entitled to the honors he had.

WAS FOUND NOT GUILTY.

JURY ACQUITS PLEASANTON MAN OF KILLING FEMALE DEER.

PLEASANTON, September 14.—The case against David Makepiece for killing a female deer, came up Saturday afternoon, and he was acquitted by the jury. Mr. Makepiece showed the horns and also the feet, which proved it was a buck, he had killed. The following were the jurors: C. L. Crellen, John Hardin, L. P. Ellis, E. F. Dixon, E. Archer, L. Gerloff, F. M. Silva, L. M. Jessen, D. H. Hayman, H. P. Moha, F. Caten, Jas. Mendenhall.

PEACE DISTURBERS.

George Otterwell, who was arrested by Town Marshal Head for disturbing the peace on Friday was dismissed by Judge Quinn Saturday afternoon. Also at the same time Charles Kruse came up before the judge. He was arrested by the night watchman for being drunk and was fined $6 by the magistrate.

GOING TO STOCKTON.

The following delegates will visit the Grand Lodge, I. D. E. S., at Stockton during the week: J. Soares, president of the lodge, J. C. Mendonca, J. E. Silva, J. V. Fernandez, A. J. Quayles.

MERRYMAKERS' BALL.

The Merrymakers' ball on Saturday night was well attended about fifty couple being present and a good time was enjoyed by all. A large number of young people were presena from Livermore. The music was furnished by the Pleasanton orchestra.

VERY LITTLE HOPE.

Willie Downing, the youngest son of Mrs. A. R. Downing, who was operated on last week for appendicitis, is very ill and the doctors give no hope for his recovery. For the first few days after the operation he gained and it looked as though he might get well, but during the last twenty-four hours he has been growing weaker.

PERSONALS.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jamieson of Oakland are visiting here.

Mrs. F. E. Adams was called to Santa Cruz Monday through the illness of her father.

Mr. and Mrs. John Arendt entertained a number of friends from San Francisco the latter part of the week.

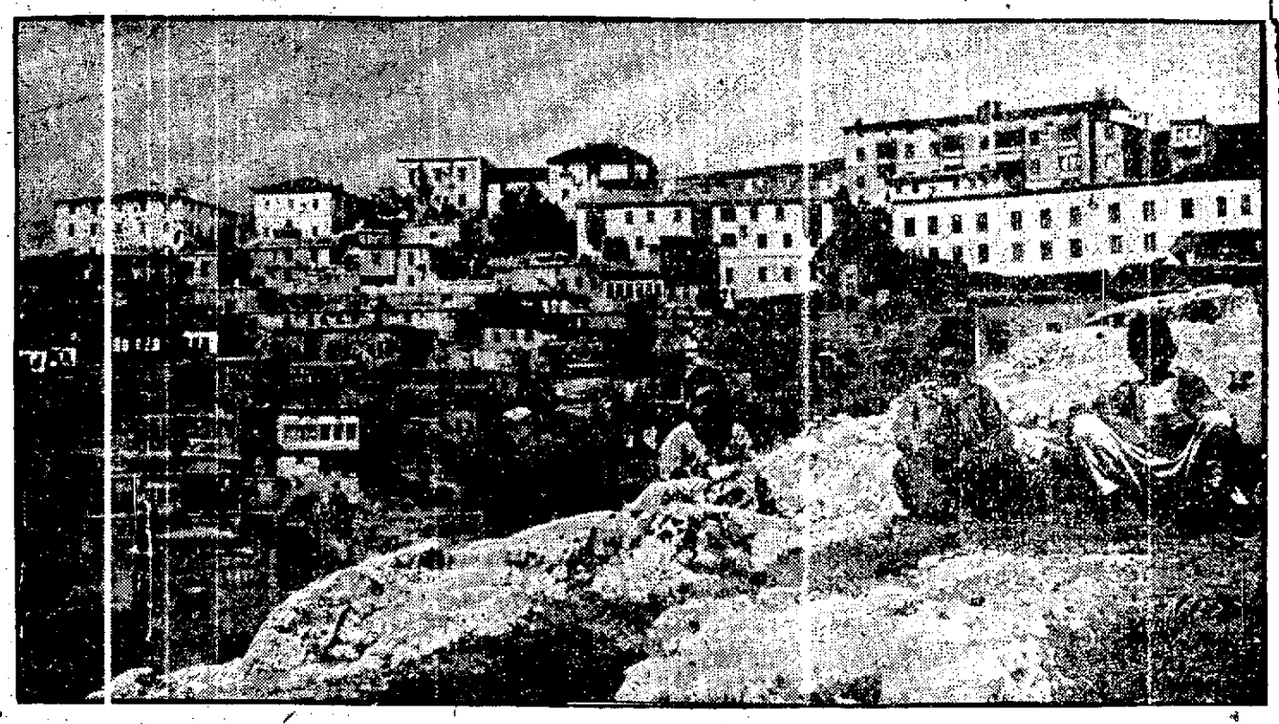
William Husted of the County Infirmary is spending his vacation here.

Fred Chadbourne returned home Friday from Sacramento with his horse, Ben F., after a most successful season on the State circuit, winning every purse he started for. The horse made a record for himself of 2:10.

Mr. and Bruce Pickard are here from Niles.

The Peaters family who have five down in bed with typhoid fever are all doing nicely and it is hoped they will all soon be up and around.

THE AMERICAN COLLEGE AT HARPOOT.



The New EUPHRATES COLLEGE

Above gives a good view of the New Euphrates College at Harpoot, and its surroundings, an attempt to burn which was reported by the American Board of Foreign Missions. This, added to the attempt on Consul Magelssen's life, led to prompt defensive action by our Executive against Turkey.

OFFERED TO HANG IF PAID FOR IT

FAMOUS TRICK OF NEVADA CHINESE TO ESCAPE THE GALLOWS.

RENO, Nev., Sept. 4.—The substitution of Chinese in San Francisco to evade the exclusion law, recalls a famous case in this State nearly a quarter of a century ago. A Chinese gambler of wealth and influence among his countrymen was charged with burning down a wash house in Reno and murdering the proprietor, who was a prominent member of a rival company. He was confined for a time in the jail at Virginia City, but was subsequently taken to Carson for trial, a change of venue having been secured. He was taken down by the Chief of Police of Virginia, a man named Breen.

When he arrived at Carson some friends of the murdered man went to the jail to take a look at him. At sight of the prisoner they set up a mighty ejaculation and gesticulation, growing more excited the faster they talked. Presently they declared that the prisoner was not the real criminal, but some other Chinese who had been "rung in" on the game between Virginia and Carson. It was soon demonstrated by white witnesses that the Chinamen were telling the truth. It transpired that L. T. Cowle, and the attorney for the accused had given Breen $800 to permit the substitution. The bogus criminal stoutly insisted that he was the right man, but he was clearly established to be a fraud. He had been paid to take his chances to save his compatriot.

Subsequently, the real criminal was recaptured and duly hanged. The affair created a mighty sensation at the time, it being developed that it was no uncommon thing in China for Chinese to offer themselves up as a vicarious sacrifice for the crimes of others in return for a money consideration paid to their relatives. This particular Chinese was willing to be hanged to save his parents in China from want and slavery for debt in their old age.

FIFTY INJURED IN A RUNAWAY.

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—At least fifty persons have been injured, one fatally, by a horse that was being broken to harness in Brooklyn. Women and children fled in terror, but some not quickly enough to escape the hoofs of the animal.

The screams of the panic-stricken women and children and the shouts of the men who were trying to subdue the horse attracted a large crowd and sent the police thither on a run in the belief that a riot was in progress.

George Lane, the only person seriously hurt, had gathered three children in his arms and was running away from the maddened animal when he was knocked down. The children were slightly hurt but Lane's skull was crushed and he probably will die. The horse, after dashing through several streets, collided with a trolley car and was knocked down.

PLAYED BALL TWENTY-FIVE YEARS.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Sept. 14.—Connor, who holds the record for the longest hit ever made on the polo grounds, made when he was first baseman of the old New York "Giants," has announced his retirement from the game and the sale of the Springfield, Conn., League baseball team, of which he has been owner and manager. He has played ball twenty-five consecutive seasons.

PANAMA IS QUIETER.

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—The government's declarations in the House of Representatives at Bogota have had a calming effect, but considerable political uneasiness is felt, according to a Herald dispatch from Panama.

President Marroquin decidedly opposes the proposal to put up either himself or his son as a candidate for the nomination for the presidency and will not give his official support to any one for the nomination. He intends to allow his party free scope in making selections of candidates. No decision has been arrived at so far. In the excitement of the political situation canal affairs appear to be completely ignored.

ARMENIAN MAFIA IS ACTIVE

SERIES OF RECENT MURDERS IS LAID AT ITS DOORS.

ST. PETERSBURG, Friday, Sept. 14.—An orthodox architect, Vassilov, was stabbed to death in the streets of Alexander, Trans-Caucasia, September 6. The murderer escaped.

The Novoe Vremaya's correspondent at Ervian, Trans-Caucasia, says the murder was one of a series of assassinations committed by the Aremnian mafia, and adds tht Vassilov had been blacklisted. The correspondent further recounts another recent brutal attempt at Alexandropol railroad station in the presence of a crowd of people. In this case also the murderer easily made good his escape. Judicial investigations of the many cases show, it is asserted, that 50 per cent of the recent murders was the work of Armenians, who migrated from Turkey, and that the others were simply the crimes of paid assassins.

WAS A PROMINENT ABOLITIONIST.

CHICAGO, September 14.—Charles Pfister of Maysville, Ky., friend of Cassius M. Clay and of John C. Fremont and an abolitionist of note in Kentucky in ante bellum and war days is dead here at the home of his son, Walter B. Pfister. He was 84 years of age. The decedent, who was a lumber merchant, for thirty years, was the only man in Maysville to vote for Fremont for President in 1856, and was one of only six men to vote for Lincoln in 1860. The other five were burned in effigy, but Mr. Pfister was spared that indignity because it was generally realized that he voted from principle. He built Fort Hill, commanding the Ohio river, for five miles, and turned it over to the Union army and sought no pay for it, but Congress remunerated him in after years. He once arranged a meeting at which General C. W. Clay spoke, the general holding a revolver in each hand while he delivered his discourse.

IRRIGATION CONGRESS NOW IN SESSION.

OGDEN, Utah, Sept. 14.—Up to noon today about 100 delegates have arrived to participate in the Eleventh Irrigation Congress. Senator Carey of Wisconsin came in on this morning's train. Lieutenant-Colonel Don Ignacio Altermaran, attache of the Mexican Embassy, arrived this morning and more prominent members are scheduled to arrive this afternoon and during the night, the number including several Governors of States. The delegation from Dawson county, Nebraska, numbers twenty-nine delegates and came on a private car.

SENATOR SCOTT ILL.

DENVER, Colo., Sept. 14.—Senator Nathan B. Scott of West Virginia is ill at the Brown Palace Hotel in this city. He is suffering from injuries received in a wreck near Chicago on Friday and also from malarial fever, and is in a serious condition. He was borne to the hotel from the train on a stretcher. During the trip he fainted from pain. Dr. F. S. Clements of Canton, Ill., who happened to be on the same train with the Senator, attended him and is with him at the hotel.

CONVICTED OF BATTERY.

Morris Springer was convicted this morning in the Police Court of battery on the person of Ching Pong, a Chinese, and will be sentenced tomorrow morning. Springer and a party of young companions were traveling on the Seventh street local on the night of the 30th of August, when the boys pushed him on the Chinaman and a mix-up occurred, the Chinese alleging that he had been set upon and beaten.

SERVIAN PLOT DISCOVERED.

LONDON, Sept. 14.—A special dispatch from the Bulgarian frontier reports that another Servian military plot has been discovered at Kraguyevats, fifty-nine miles from Belgrade. Several more officers have been arrested.

BIG MEN ARE IN ACCIDENT.

RAILWAY OFFICIALS OF BURLINGTON ROAD SHAKEN UP.

LA CROSSE, Wis., September 14.—A special train consisting of an engine and two coaches containing President J. J. Hill of the Northern Securities Company, President Harris, the first and second vice presidents, Chief Engineer Breckenridge and other officials of the Burlington Railroad, early last evening ran into two large boulders which had been washed on the track by a severe rainstorm near Alma, and the engine was badly damaged. Outside of a bad shaking up and a few bruises, none of the officials on the train were injured.

A fierce storm was in progress when the train left this city for St. Paul and the engineer was running at a reduced rate of speed when the engine crashed into the break.

A similar accident occurred at the same place about a year ago, in which Trainmaster Purdy lost his life and others were injured. Much damage was done to the railroads in the vicinity by the storm, numerous washouts being reported and all trains are late into the city today.

STOCKTON ELKS WILL VISIT OAKLAND.

L. Clare Davis, the sprightly feminine contributor to the Stockton Mail, discourses in this rather mournful strain regarding the forthcoming incursion of the Elks of the Slough City:

"One week from today there's going to be a terrible stampede of Elks to Oakland and we poor Elkesses will be able to hear the rattle of hoofs and we shall see the dust they'll leave in their wake, but we may not follow them into the promised land.

"The Oakland herd has completed a home for itself that cost $100,000, and the furnishings and fitting thereof cost $13,500. Yea, it is a goodly corral, with many cosy corners and alcoves and curtains and cupboards and the Stockton herd is to go down to the big salt lick and slake its thirst at the—at the great tin water bucket.

"Verily, there will be great doings and some of the Stockton herd will see double, and so when we build our Elks' corral, for which a site has been bought, and for which we also have $100,000, there will be two cosy corners for every one in Oakland and two alcoves and two curtains and two cupboards for every one that appears in the Oakland corral by daylight. Sound the harp and make a great noise with the cymbals! The Elks are the people and everybody will know it one week from today, for all the nicest men in town will be going to Oakland."

JUBILEE OF DANISH KING.

NEW YORK, September 14.—This year's gathering of the royal family here is of a unusually solemn character, as 1903 is the jubilee year of the Danish royal family, says a Times dispatch from Copenhagen.

The King will have reigned forty years on November 15th. It is fifty years since he was recognized as heir to the throne. The Crown Prince, who lately attained his sixtieth year, has been Crown Prince during forty years.

King Christian's second son, King George of Greece, celebrates the fortieth year of his reign this year and Queen Alexandra celebrated the fortieth anniversary of her wedding day this year. The Duchess of Cumberland, who will be fifty years old September 29th, keeps her silver wedding in December. King Christian looks as young as ever and rides daily.

FOUR INJURED IN COLLISION.

CHICAGO, Sept. 14.—Four persons were injured, one, Henry Wakefield of Chicago, baggageman, probably fatally, and many passengers badly shaken up in a collision on the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad at Des Plaines today. An open switch is said to have caused the accident. The passenger train, westbound, crashed into the rear of a freight on a siding.

GIVEN THREE DAYS.

Michael O'Connell, Eliza Hall, Daniel L. Dougherty were given 36 or three days each this morning for being drunk; Pearl Ramsay received the same treatment upon the same charge and got an additional $10 or five days for vulgar language.

CAUGHT IN POSTAL SCANDAL.

ISAAC M'GIEHAN AND GEORGE H. HUNTINGTON SURRENDER THEMSELVES.

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Isaac McGiehan and George H. Huntington of the Columbia Supply Company, who were indicted in Washington, D. C., in connection with the postal scandals, surrendered themselves to United States Marshal Henkel in this city today. Bench warrants were issued for Huntington and McGiehan last week at the time of the arraignment of George W. Beavers on the Washington indictment.

"OLD FOLKS' DAY" OBSERVED.

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—"Old folks' day" has been observed for fourteenth consecutive years in the Presbyterian Church at Vineland, N. J. The gathering was a most remarkable one. There were present half a hundred people over fifty, twenty-four octogenarians and three nonogenarians.

Two aged divines, Rev. Dr. R. B. Moore of the Huron Presbytery of Ohio and Rev. J. A. Black of the Aberdeen Presbytery of South Dakota, took part in the service.

BOY SHOT IN SEATTLE.

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 14.—The body of Julius Wilderman, a boy of 20 years, was picked up on a pile of lumber in the southern part of the city about 11 o'clock last night with a bullet hole through the heart. A target rifle lay at his feet. Whether a murder was committed or the boy committed suicide or whether he was the victim of an accident cannot be determined. An empty shell in the rifle leads to the belief that he was killed by a shot from the rifle found near his body.

WILL HOLD INQUEST.

An inquest will be held at 5 p. m. today on the body of Mrs. Catherine Johnson of 71 Pearl street, the lady who dropped dead on an Oakland avenue car Saturday afternoon as a result of heart failure.

WEATHER FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, September 14.—San Francisco and vicinity—Fair this afternoon, tonight and Tuesday fresh westerly wind with fog.